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HOW COAL CARDS ARE TO BE USED

Driver Brings the Card and You Must Fill it Before He Unloads—Coal Not Exhausted Here But Supply is Scanty.

Since the announcement, published exclusively in The Freeman, that all persons in this city and throughout Ulster county would have to sign a coal card when purchasing coal from a dealer, The Freeman has had many inquiries as to just how this coal card plan was carried out, and the additional information relating to this matter is given by The Freeman today for the benefit of the coal dealers as well as the general public.

The coal cards must be signed by all purchasers of coal, and the dealers will be held strictly responsible for the enforcing of this order.

Most of the dealers will have their drivers bring the coal cards to their respective purchasers and if the purchasers refuse to sign these slips, the coal will not be delivered.

If the purchaser prefers, he or she can come to the office of the coal dealer, and sign the slip there before the coal is delivered.

As stated in The Freeman Thursday the coal card contains a number of questions which must be filled out by the purchaser, such as amount of coal desired, purpose for which it is to be used; approximate amount used last year, pounds or tons on hand at present, will last approximately, and have you any unfilled orders with other dealers.

Dealers Must Furnish the Cards.

Dealers must furnish their own coal cards, the official form of which was published in The Freeman Thursday. A few of these cards were sent to the dealers, but the supply was very limited, and dealers will have to furnish the rest of the cards themselves.

To Report False Statements.

Dealers are supposed to report any cases of deliberate false statements by their patrons when filling out the coal cards. In cases where it is discovered that the coal was obtained under a false statement on the coal card, the fuel administrator is instructed to prohibit the dealer from delivering any more coal in this case except on direct and specific orders from the administrator.

To Prevent Hoarding.

The idea of the coal card is not what some people seem to think, namely, to "put over some more red tape," but is to prevent the hoarding of coal and the suffering caused by this hoarding.

Most of the dealers and the majority of the users of coal have tried, and are trying to co-operate in every possible way in the conservation of coal, but there are a few persons lacking in principle, and affected by selfishness, who put the "big I" first, and it is because of this class of people that restrictions have to be made.

Situation is Serious.

It seems hard to awaken the public to the fact that the coal situation is serious. True, Kingston, and Ulster county have not experienced the suffering that other places have experienced because of the lack of coal, but the situation here has been, and is bad enough, and will be worse if the people do not wake up to the real situation and do everything possible to conserve the precious coal.

With the right kind of management and economy there will be coal enough to go around. There will be enough coal for the schools, and if the churches will unite upon a more extensive scale than they have been, there will be enough coal for the church services, and the coal saved by the combining of church services would be a big factor in relieving the general shortage.

Practical Plan Suggested.

A representative of The Freeman talked over the coal situation with several prominent city officials here this morning and during these interviews a number of practical plans were discussed.

"The church can do a lot to solve this problem," said one man," and both the Protestant and the Catholic Churches ought to take the matter up.

"Now the Protestant Churches could conserve much coal by holding services in only three churches in this city for the period [illegible]e winter. With services in one [illegible]rch downtown, one church in the central part of the city, and one church uptown, nothing would be lost from a religious standpoint, and a large amount of coal would be saved by these union services.

"I think that the Catholic Churches could also work out some kind of a practical plan for holding union services, and thus do their bit in this important matter."

Housekeepers Can Help.

The housekeepers can do their patriotic bit, as there are many ways in which they save coal, such as turning off every bit of heat from rooms that are not in use, and not heating any rooms that are in use any more than is necessary to be comfortably warm.

The old fashioned habit of sifting ashes could be revived with profitable results, and it is surprising how a few lumps of coal saved by this method, totals up in the aggregate.

Burning wood whenever possible will also do much to conserve the coal supply.

Situation in General.

The coal situation in this city is about the same as it has been for the past few days. With economy on every hand there will be enough coal to meet all reasonable needs. Dealers are selling coal in small quantities. There are no cases, as far as is known, of any individual suffering caused by a lack of coal.

Situation in the County.

The situation throughout Ulster county is much more serious than it is in Kingston, and it shows the need of careful management and economy in this city, if Kingston expects to be fortunate enough to escape the conditions in the county.

Highland has been hard hit by the coal shortage. All of the churches there are holding only part of their services, and these services are being held in the lecture rooms of the respective churches.

The library is closed down. Most of the lodges have given up holding their regular meetings. Private families are burning wood for fuel, and many families have closed up their homes for the winter and are stopping at the various hotels in the village.

The schools in Highland have some coal on hand and it is not thought that they will have to close down because of a want of fuel.

It is said that a shipment of coal for Highland has been held up at Maybrook for some time. H. O. Palen, of the food and market commission of New York city, went to Maybrook today to see what could be done to have the coal shipment for Highland started there.

It is said that as the result of Mr. Palen's visit Highland will receive this shipment of coal on Saturday.

New Paltz received two carloads of coal on Thursday, the first coal shipment that has reached that village in quite some time. This somewhat relieved the situation in that village, but there is still a shortage.

The Normal School has a supply of coal on hand and there is no danger of this institution closing down this winter.

Pine Hill is practically out of coal, with no immediate relief in sight.

Marlborough is hard hit by the coal shortage. There is practically no coal to be had in the village. Dealers in that vicinity have tried to relieve the situation but have been unable to get the coal.

From various points throughout the county it is reported that the situation is serious In several of the towns and villages the churches have closed or united and lodges have discontinued their regular meetings for the winter.

An effort is being made to keep the schools running throughout the county and every bit of coal that can be conserved is being saved so that the schools can continue their sessions.

A Mistaken Idea.

A local coal dealer stated today that some people had the idea that the dealers were selling the coal in small quantities so that they could make a larger profit by selling in this manner than they could by selling it in quantities of a ton or more.

This is not true. The dealers are not trying to take advantage of a situation that is already serious enough without having the added menace of profiteering.

The dealers are having hard work in getting the coal and they have to sell it in small quantities, so that every user of coal will have a chance to get his or her share.

And if the dealers were willing to sell in large quantities, if they had the coal to do it with, they would be prevented from doing so by the fuel administrator, for the selling of large quantities of coal would lead to coal hoarding, and this hoarding is just what the dealers and the fuel administrator is trying to prevent, for the sake of the general public.

If the general public will co-operate with the fuel administrator and the coal dealers, and conserve the coal in every possible way, the coal situation will eventually become somewhere near normal.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Kingston Lodge, No. 413, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 36 East Strand.

United Association of Plumbers, Gas Fitters, Steam Fitters and Steam Fitters' Helpers, Local No. 232, at 408 Broadway.

Wawarsing Tribe: No. 232, Improved Order of Red Men, at 5 Thomas street.

Charles DeWitt Council, No. 91, Junior Order United American Mechanice, in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

Kingston Tent, No. 397, Knights of the Maccabees of the World, at 625 Broadway.

Clinton Chapter, No. 445, O. E. S., in Masonic Hall, Wall street, at 7:45. Installaton of officers.

The Civic Class of the Daughters of Isabella will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the homeof Mrs. P. H. Cullen, No. 101 West Chester street.

The ladies of the Colonial Rebekah Lodge will have a crocheting party at the home of Mrs. J. Barringer Saturday afternoon. All bring croket needles.

County Court Next Week.

The January trial term of the Ulster county court will convene at the court house next Monday afternoon at two o'clock with Judge Jenkins presiding The civil calendar contains eleven cases, all of which are issues of fact, triable before a jury.

Cahill Now Ticket Agent.

Patrick Cahill, it is announced, has been appointed ticket agent at the West Shore station to succeed H. S. Carpenter, who recently resigned to accept a position with the Ulster & Delaware Railroad.

U. S. TO TAKE OVER EXPRESS COMPANIES

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Indications this afternoon strongly pointed to the taking over of the express companies by the federal government. Representatives of the companies who are in Washington to confer with Director General of Railways McAdoo expressed the belief that the government would take this course.

SUFFRAGE UP TO THE SENATE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Whether the Susan B. Anthony amendment shall be submitted to the states for ratification today depends on the senate. Senator Jones, chairman of the woman suffrage committee, favors bringing the measure up for a vote within 10 days or two weeks, but the suffragist politicians are urging caution. After the close vote in the house yesterday, the prospect of the measure's passage in the senate was very doubtful.

President Wilson will now be urged by the suffragists to get behind them in their fight for final passage of the resolution. He has taken the last step, suffragists pointed out today, and if any alienation of southern favor is to result, it will come no less surely if he stops now than if he gets well into the center of the fight.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Sears of Gardiner have announced the engagement of their daughter, Ida Frances, to Albert Hiram Schoonmaker of Coxsackie.

The 1918 Social Society of this city enjoyed a sleighride to Saugerties on Wednesday in one of Webster's big four horse sleighs. They were entertained at the Charles Mulford Hotel. A dinner was served by the proprietor, after which the guests departed, wishing their host and hostess success and happiness for the year.

The engagement of Arthur Ten Eyke Newkirk, formerly of this city, now of Newark, N. J., to Evelyn Hart of Dolgeville, N. Y., has been announced in this city. Both young people were graduated from Syracuse University with the 1917 class. Mr. Newkirk, who is well-known in this city, was captain of the Syracuse varsity track team in 1916 and the mainstay of the cross-country team during his entire four years in college. He is recognized in the eastern colleges as one of the fastest long distant runnrs in the country and holds many college records at Syracuse. Mr. Newkirk is now connected with the cost department of the Standard Oil Company in New York city. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ten Eyck Newkirk of Newark, N. J., formerly residing in this city for many years.

Birthday Anniversary.

A number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell, at Sleightsburgh, on Thursday evening, January 10, in honor of Mrs. Bell's birthday anniversary. During the evening choice selections on the Victrola were greatly enjoyed by those present. Dancing was indulged in by the young folks until the wee small hours, after which dainty refreshments were served. When leaving for home the guests voted the hostess a royal good entertainer and wished her many, many more happy birthdays.

Celebrated "Movie" Tonight.

The celebrated motion picture, "The Fall of the Romanoffs," depicting the life history of the famous Russian monk, Rasputin, and the influence he wielded over the Russian court, culminating in the abdication of the Czar, will be produced at the Kingston Opera House tonight and Saturday afternoon and evening. There will be one performance each evening. The picture is one of the most widely known film productions that is being shown in America and has received much attention.

Will Dance Saturday.

The Light Society, the young people and friends of the Immaculate Conception parish, will have a big dance at their school hall, Delaware avenue, Saturday evening, January 12. Prof. Schwalbach with his orchestra will supply music for dancing. Refreshments a la Rondout and F. & D. cigars. Good time to all.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Jan. 11—Corn closed ¼ cents higher and oats were ⅛ cents higher today.

Closing Prices.

Corn—Jan., $1.27¾; May, $1.25¼ to ⅛.

Oats—Jan., 79⅞ to ¾; March, 78⅝; May, 76⅞ to ¾.

Broke Her Wrist in Fall.

Mrs. Huston of 47 Hudson street fell on a slippery walk on Spring street Thursday and sustained a broken wrist.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY

OSCAR SMITH.

Oscar Smith, son of Loran Smith, No. 27 Oak street, enlisted last August in Co. C, 39th Inf., and is now stationed at Camp Green, Charlotte, N. C.

William McKinley Hall, who was transferred from Camp Dix to South San Antonio, Texas, has been transferred back to Garden City, L. I. Mr. Hall's home is in Milton.

Frank Roe, a member of the National Army contingent from Kingston that left on September 29 for Camp Dix, has been transferred from Camp Gordon to the automobile school at Camp Herring, Peoria, Illinois. Private Roe is the son of Nathan Roe, of East St. James street and one of the most skilled chauffeurs from this city, having had vast experience in that line. He has been at Camp Herring for about two weeks and reports that he likes the new branch of service and feels more at home while working at his old trade.

Private Nishon Bedrossian, who went to Camp Dix with the last Kingston contingent, made a short visit here Wednesday. He with several others as reported have been transferred to an over seas contingent, and he had to hurry back as sailing orders were expected any moment. Mr. Bedrossian, who was connected with the Charles Ramsay factory, came to Kingston several years ago from Armenia and on the way to the U. S spent two months in France, and is delighted at the prospect of soon being "over there" again. He enjoyed the time and the intensive training at Camp Dix, and gained 12 pounds and said he never felt better in his life. They have a fine bunch of boys at the camp and if the kaiser "thinks" that the Yankee army is a bluff he has another "think" coming. Mr. Bedrossian expressed himself as being very pleased with the "kit" presented him when he left with the draft contingent, also the wrist watch given him by Mr. Ramsay, and the sweater from the boys in the shop, all of which are extremely serviceable. He also said it is a positive education to be in Uncle Sam's army.

RED CROSS HELP FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Word has just been received in this country of the opening of the Sainte Eugenie hospital for tuberculosis repatries at Lyons. This adds another link in the chain of institutions which the American Red Cross is forging to return to France her citizens well and free from infection.

This hospital was opened in the presence of officials of the Red Cross and Rockefeller Foundation and of the French government. It is designed to care for the patients reaching France via Evian. The Sainte Eugenie hospital has been loaned to the American Red Cross by the hospital board of Lyons, which supplies the building with heat, light, water and sanitation and furnishes at cost, food, linen and disinfection. The American Red Cross provides nurses, doctors and medical supplies.

Frequently as many as 65 tuberculosis repatries arrive at Evian in a single week. They come from the occupied portions of France and Belgium and if returned to their homes would spread the disease as so many already have done. The new hospital cares immediately for 200 patients in five new hospital barracks, and in the main building—a chateau presented to the city of Lyons by the Empress Eugenie.

Mrs. Astor Heads Red Cross.

The Rhinebeck Chapter of the American Red Cross on Thursday elected Mrs. Vincent Astor president of the chapter. Mr. and Mrs. Astor are now residing at Bordeaux, France, where Mr. Astor, who is an ensign, has been taken off active sea duty and is doing shore duty. Before she sailed for France last summer, Mrs. Astor had been head of the informal organization of Rhinebeck women who were engaged in war relief work.

TWO WHEATLESS DAYS EACH WEEK

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 11.—The nation is to have two wheatless days weekly instead of one, according to State Food Administrator Arthur Williams, who has just returned to New York after a three day conference in Washington with Food Administrator Hoover.

STORM SWEEPING FROM LAKES TO GULF

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Jan. 11—The Mississippi valley from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico and west to the Rocky Mountains is storm swept and in the grip of a cold wave today. Industries are hampered, train schedules are disarranged, communication lines are interrupted and in some places a fuel shortage threatens.

Just as Chicago had cleared about two-thirds of its streets of the record breaking snow of Sunday, a second storm, scampering ahead of a strong north wind, struck the city today and reburied the streets under a blanket of snow. The weather forecaster refused to predict the extent or duration of the storm but indicated colder weather would follow.

International News dispatches from the western and southwestern section of the Mississippi Valley indicate a snow fall over most of that region of from six to twelve inches and that drifts are ten feet deep in places.

Oil fields in Oklahoma are shut down and railroads blocked by what is said to be the worst storm in fifteen years. Farmers however, are rejoicing in the snow as a benefit to the winter wheat crops. At Denver the mercury dropped 16 degrees below zero, the lowest record in years. Twenty below was reported from Cheyenne, Wyo. The cold wave extends north and west into the Dakotas and Montana, with Williston, N D., where the temperature was 28 below, as the coldest point reported.

In the southern states and westward into Texas the coldest weather in years is reported. Snow fell in Louisiana for the first time this year and points in Georgia, Kentucky and other southern states report unusually severe storms.

MR. DARROW AIDING INCOME TAXPAYERS

Those Subject to the Tax Should Call at the Court House For Advice—Honest Errors May be Rectified, But There is No Chance of "Putting One Over" on the Government.

Deputy Internal Revenue Collector John S. Darrow, who is stationed at court house here to advise those persons who are subject to the income tax law, is being kept very busy explaining the various phases of the law. Every person who is affected by this law should see Mr. Darrow as soon as possible so as to find out just what amount of tax law they will be called upon to pay.

It is expected that blanks 1040-A will soon be here and ready for distribution. Blank 1040A is the form to be used by all of those persons whose income is not over $3,000 a year. The printing of the blanks has been delayed because of the rush of work of the government printing office in connection with the draft.

Detail of farm return of income slips have arrived and can be secured from Mr. Darrow. These slips are of great help to farmers in making out the figures of their various sources of income, and their expenses.

The return to the internal revenue division must be made not later than March 1, and the tax is payable not later than the fifteenth of June.

Mr. Darrow has had many perplexing problems submitted to him relative to the various phases of the law and whenever there has been no ruling already by the treasury department on such questions, the matter will be presented to the department for a ruling.

There is no penalty attached to an honest error, but any person who deliberately tries to "put one over" on the government will find that it is a dangerous proposition.

Walden Withdraws Complaint.

The complaint of the town of Montgomery and the village of Walden and the Chamber of Commerce of Walden against the Wallkill Valley Railroad regarding passenger service to and from Walden has been closed upon the records of Public Service Commission as the state commission was notified that under the peculiar conditions existing throughout the country at the present time the village of Walden desired the complaint withdrawn without prejudice to renewing the same when conditions become normal.

AN ULSTER COUNTY SOLDIER IN FRANCE

ALBERT L. SHORT.

Private Albert L. Short, Co. H, 165th Infantry, A. E. F., son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Short, of Cottekill, N. Y., left with the Rainbow Division and is now stationed "somewhere in France. Private Short joined Co. I of the 71st Regiment last July and was one of those later transferred to the 69th Regiment of the Rainbow Division. Private Short writes he had a fine trip over the big pond and is enjoying the best of health.

SMALL RAILROADS ASKING RELIEF

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 11—Small railroads in the United States are asking relief from government control. The Senate interstate commerce committe today, continuing its considering of the bill now before Congress, providing for government control of the railroads, was confronted with a large number of protests from small railroads.

The smaller railroad systems officials argue that the present plan of compensation will place them in bankruptcy. They declare that for them to accept the net earnings of the past three years as a basis for compensation would be suicidal. They assert that the years of the European war have been more disastrous for them than for the larger rail systems. While larger railroads can subsist under such a plan, they maintain, the smaller railroads would not be able to hold out and operate for any considerable length of time.

Another point made by the executives of the small railroad lines is that they do not constitute a part of the great freight carrying system. They maintain that the operation of their lines in many cases is merely a matter of local importance and does not bear on the national transportation system whatsoever. For these reasons they declare that exemption from government control would only be fair to them.

TAKE OFF THREE KINGSTON TRAINS

A new time table will go into effect on the West Shore Railroad late Saturday night. This is following the national movement to save fuel and expedite freight traffic. While the new train schedule had not been received at the local station this morning, it is understood that three Kingston trains will be taken off. There may be more, but it is not expected. The trains that will be discontinued commencing Sunday are the 2:18 afternoon train going south. This is the train from the west. The Buffalonian from New York, reaching Kingston at 10:50 will also be discontinued and the local train leaving Kingston at 5.20 in the afternoon for Albany will be taken off. The Continental Express, leaving Kingston about 5:15 p. m., will only run as far as Albany instead of through to Buffalo as formerly, and will become a local train.

State Police Appreciated.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, Jan. 11.—Major George F. Chandler, superintendent of the State Police, today received from the State Fair Commission a handsomely engrossed plate of appreciation for the part played by the troopers in making the fair at Syracuse a success. The appreciation has been framed and will be hung in the Albany headquarters of the state police in the capitol. The statement from the fair commission declares that the efficiency of the state police contributed greatly to the excellent manner in which the crowds were handled and that the drills of the troopers added largely to the success of the annual fair.

WAR AT A GLANCE

The Russo-German peace conference at Brest-Litovsk has again been suspended because of the refusal of the German envoys to consent to a removal of the parley to neutral soil. The chief interest today centers upon the queston of whether or not they will be resumed.

Nicholai Lenine, the Bolshevik premier, has given out an interview in Petrograd indicating that the Bolsheviki are prepared to renew the fight against the Central Powers unless Germany gives way to the Russian demands. "We must end the demobilization of the army and prepare for further warfare," Lenine was quoted as saying.

The German newspapers are attacking the peace terms announced by President Wilson and Premier Lloyd-George, but information reaching Amsterdam indicates that the internal situation in Germany has reached a serious point and is filled with possibilities. The Amsterdam Tijd goes so far as to say that a collapse in Germany seems imminent.

Cannonading is the chief activity now prevailing on the battle fronts.

EARLY CLOSING IN NEW YORK CITY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 11.—State Fuel Administrator Albert H. Wiggin intimated at noon today that he may order all New York theaters closed at 10 o'clock nightly as a means of relieving the fuel situation. All cafes and restaurants, under the same order, will be forced to close at 9 o'clock.

"We are considering closing those places," he announced. "If necessary it's got to be done. In fact, action may be taken today."

Washington, Jan. 11.—The fuel administration will back regulations of Administrator A. H. Wiggin of New York to the limit. This was made plain this afternoon by Fuel Administrator Garfield. If Wiggin wants to close the New York theaters entirely, he has the authority to do so, for Dr. Garfield has given him carte blanche.

"Mr. Wiggin has the power even to shut down factories engaged in war work in order to supply domestic needs, if he sees fit," said Dr. Garfield. In fact, it is the attitude of the fuel administration that he should curb of the non-essential industries until the coal supply for individual needs is nearer to normal.

HOLD-UP BANDITS WERE DESERTERS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 11.—Following a spirited revolver battle with detectives in Brooklyn early today, two men wearing the uniform of the National Army and describing themselves as John Lenter, 21, of Torrington, Ct., and Wilbur Perry, are being held by the police today.

Lenter and Perry, after being confronted by several of their victims, are said to have confessed to several recent hold-ups. The pair admitted that they are deserters from Company D, of the Forty-ninth Regiment, now located at Camp Merritt, near Tenafly, N. J.

Detectives trailed the men for nearly two miles before making a concerted effort to capture them. The soldiers opened fire with their service pistols but after a brisk exchange of shots, none of which took effect, the men surrendered.

TROOPS KILL YAQUIS.

Outlaws Were Overhauled Near Mexican Border in Arizona.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Nogales, Ariz., Jan. 11.—Two Yaqui Indians are dead and nine are prisoners today as a result of a brush between United States troops and a band of alleged ammunition runners on United States territory three miles from the international boundary line.

The American troops surprised the outlaws as they were headed toward Mexico with contraband arms and ammunition and halted them. The outlaws opened fire and the troops returned it.

One Yaqui was killed outright and another later died of wounds. Nine of the bandits, of whom several were wounded, surrendered to the American soldiers. There were twelve men in the American patrol which participated in the engagement.

Congregation Azudas Achim.

Tomorrow during the morning services Julius L. Siegel, a young student from New York, will speak in the Agudas Achim Congregation. Mr. Siegel will also speak 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. His speech on Sunday will be in English. His theme will be "Looking Ahead." All are welcome.

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PRIME CHUCK Roasting, lb. 20c	SMALL TENDER Lean Chops, lb 22c	LEAN CUTS Stewing, lb. 20c	LEAN LOIN Roasting, lb. 30c
CHOICE PRIME Rib Roast, lb. 22c	TENDER JUICY Cutlets, lb. 30c	SMALL RIB, or Loin Chops, lb 30c	SMALL TENDER Lean Chops, lb 30c

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CAN 10c	pkg. 7c	pound 12c	pound 29c	pound 25c	pound 20c
Mohican Prepared Buckwheat 3 lbs 27c	Alaska Pink Salmon 1 lb can 21c	Fresh Yellow Corn Meal 4 lbs 25c	Fine Cut Home Made Sauerkraut 3 lbs 10c	Strawberry, Raspberry JAMS pound 18c	Pure Apple BUTTER pound 15c

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SLAVERY IN MARLBOROUGH

(By C M Woolsey.)

Among other laws passed by the State of New York in reference to slavery, there was a penalty provided for harboring slaves. They could not carry arms. There were various Acts passed in relation to slaves up to 1800 All slave children born after 1800 were born free, and all slaves became free after 1820. People can hardly realize in this north country, among the ancestry that slavery was ever an established institution, and protected under the law of the country. From what can be learned, this slavery was of a mild form.

There is only one instance now found where a slave was killed by his master here. There is no tradition that slaves ever ran away from their masters, or were severely punished or that many families were separated by sale. The sales were mostly of young men and women and the prices for which they were sold were not large—about the price of a first class horse. Those families that could afford it would have the young slave women for servants and the mistresses were generally kind and considerate with them. In the division of the property, the girl generally went with the mistress.

Slaves often remained upon the same lands for generations—born, lived and died under the same masters. In case of sale of the lands, the slaves at times were sold under the same deed, and often times strong attachments were formed between the master and the slaves. Public opinion was such that no master would be countenanced in treating his slaves cruelly.

Slaves increased rapidly under slavery About 1790 or 1795 there were more than three hundred negroes in this town, most of whom were slaves; whereas at the present time there are few colored people here. This is quite remarkable from the fact that after the slaves became free, they had the same rights as other people—could buy and sell land and other property, and contract for their own labor.

During the war of the Revolution they remained with their masters and were loyal to the cause. We cannot learn that any went over to the enemy, or that any of those in this section committed any serious crimes.

The back seats in the churches were reserved for their use and their masters took them with them to the frolics and many of the events of those times

It is hard to realize at this distant day that the forest and stony lands were cleared up by the slaves. They built the stone fences and worked in the same fields that the people here work in now.

Many bills of sale of slaves are still to be found in the town—two of which as well as a manumission of slaves will be hereafter given. J. J. A Roberts had a ropewalk at Marlborough. He was a large slave owner and manumitted several. Also Dr Benjamin Ely registered the birth of many slave children, and manumen were the largest slave owners that the town ever had.

BILL OF SALE OF A NEGRO GIRL

"KNOW all MEN by THESE PRESENTS, That I. Joseph Van D Water, yeoman of Long Island and State of New York For and in Consideration of the Sum of twenty-five pounds 12 s Current Money of the State of New York to me in Hand paid, at and before the Ensealing and Delivery of these Presents, by Luke C. Quick of Marlborough the Receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, and myself to be therewith fully satisfied, contented and paid: Have granted, bargained, sold, released; and by these Presents, do fully, clearly, and absolutely grant, bargain, sell and release unto sd Luke C. Quick a negro wench about eighteen or nineteen years old named Fan.

To have and to hold the said negro wench named Fan unto the said Luke C Quick his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, forever, And I the said Joseph Van D Water for myself, my Heirs, Executors and Administrators, do coverant and agree to and with the above named Luke C. Quick his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, to warrant and defend the Sale of the above named negro wench Fan against all Persons whatsoever.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal, this twenty-second day of July Annoque Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-One (1791)

JOSEPH VAN D WATER. (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered
In the Presence of
Thomas White
Hannah Campbell

WEST PARK.

West Park, Jan. 10.—A dance will be held in the schol house on Friday evening, February 8. B. J. Murray's orchestra of Kingston will furnish the music for dancing

Mr. and Mrs William Lundy were visitors in Esopus on Wednesday.

Hudson Covert spent Saturday in Highland.

Mrs John Wood and daughters, Mary and Florence, returned to their home at Union Hill, N J., on Saturday after spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs James Ackert.

Sergeant William Clary of Company K, 10th N. Y. Inf., Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S C., spent a few days the past week with his mother, Mrs Warren Koons.

Mrs. Martin Von Etens spent Wednesday in Kingston

Taxes will set January 22 at the store of Ralph Spencer.

Frank Ackert spent a day the past week in Kingston.

Vincent Quinn met with a painful accident on Sunday morning when crossing the railroad track near the West Shore station: the runner of the sleigh caught in the rail, throwing Mr. Quinn out of the sleigh and cracking two ribs At this time he is doing very nicely, under the care of Dr. John Blakely of Highland.

Mrs. Eliza Burroughs spent Tuesday out of town

Elmer Green has accepted a position as brakeman on the West Shore railroad.

The newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Smith, of New York city, are spending a few days at their home, "Heartsease," here.

Mr and Mrs Grover Light spent Monday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ackuart spent Monday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs Caroline D. Gindra returned to her home here on Wednesday after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Huser at Hawarth, N. J.

Mrs. Vincent Quinn and Mrs. Walter Burger spent Tuesday in Kingston.

Some Goods at Old Prices

Boys' Mackinaws $5.98
Next Season $7.00
About 20 boys' mackinaws left, many patterns, 8 to 18 years, the wool kind. Next season the price will be $7.00.

Men's Winter Union Suits $1.50
Next Season $2.00
Heavy cotton union suits, have all sizes just now Next season the price will be $2.00.

Young Men's Belt Model Suits $18.00
Next Season $22.00
Belt backs belt all around, many patterns to choose from. Same suits next season will be $22.00

Men's Worsted Suits $22.50
Will be $26.50 later
Roberts Wicks Make, Michaels Stern Make, all pure worsted cloth. This make grade will sell next season at $26.50.

Men's Overcoats $18.00
Next Lot will be $22.50
Gray or fancy mixtures, belt all around or plain model. Same overcoats will be $22.50 next season.

Men's Blue Serge Suits at $14.75
Next Season $18.00
All wool blue serge suits for men, about 10 suits left at $14.75 Next season the price will be $18.00.

Men's Fleece Lined Underwear 75c
Next Season 90c
About 15 dozen men's fleece lined underwear to sell at 75c; next season, 90c.

Hoag Knit Wool Sweaters $4.98
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We have about 25 sweaters left at $4.98, buy now; next season the price will be $6.00.

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SHOE BARGAINS FOR THE WOMEN

Beginning Wednesday, January 9th, and continuing up to Saturday we will put on sale our stock of regular height shoes. These are shoes that were carried over from last season, as well as some of this fall's styles, and represent values from $4.00 to $6.00 a pair.

Among them are some of the best makes such as "SOROSIS," "UTZ & DUNN," and our own special brand.

THE SIZES ARE 2, 2½, 3, 3½, 4, 4½, 5, 5½ and 6

We have put these shoes on our counters and marked them in Big Plain Figures as follows

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In pursuance of an Order of the Surrogate of Ulster County, made on the 3rd day of January, 1918, notice is hereby given pursuant to said order to all persons having claims against the estate of Wesley Decker, late of the Town of Esopus, in the County of Ulster, deceased, that they are required to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, Executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the office of Joseph Decker, in the Village of Port Ewen, in the Town of Esopus, in the County of Ulster, on or before the 3rd day of July, 1918, being six months from the date of said order.

Dated, January 3, 1918.

MINNIE DECKER,
JOSEPHINE DECKER,
Executors.

Rosendale & Cox, Attorneys, Kingston, N. Y.

Service Flag Dedicated.

On Sunday evening the Ponckhockie Union Church will hold a patriotic service at which a service flag containing eight stars will be dedicated The young men who have gone out from this congregation are Charles Ashby, Edwin Ashby, Walter N Gill, Jr., Everett Schutt, Charles Kain Fred W Moot Jr Eugene Kolts and John Parslow The pastor, the Rev F. W. Moot, will deliver an address on "Modern Patriotism" The choir will render patriotic music and the church will be suitably decorated The flag is the gift of Mr. and Mrs Hubert Charles of New York.

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So to Speak.

"That lets me out," said the prisoner as the governor signed his pardon.

SINKING OF THE JACOB JONES

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Washington, Jan. 11.—The officers and crew of the destroyer Jacob Jones, sunk by a German submarine on the afternoon of December 6, knew their impending fate but were unable to avert it. This was disclosed today in the report of Lieut. Commander David Worth Bagley to the navy department.

The torpedo was sighted when at a distance of half a mile abeam, and Officer of the Deck S. F. Kalk, who afterwards died of exposure, took prompt measures to maneuver the ship so as to avoid being struck. The commanding officer realized, however, that the torpedo was too near to be escaped, and immediately efforts were made to launch life boats and save the lives of the crew.

As the radio antennae and mainmast were carried away and electric power failed immediately, it was not possible to use the radio apparatus, Bagley reported. The gunnery officer, Lieut. J. K. Richards, made every effort to get aft to secure the depth charges, but was unable to do so. Before the ship sank three rafts were lost and another floated off when the destroyer went down. A small motor dory and two other small boats likewise floated clear. The motor boat was seaworthy but its engine would not run. One of the small boats was damaged but was of use in getting men on to the rafts. The whale boat was launched but was useless owing to damage from the explosion.

As the ship settled the commanding officer ran along the deck and ordered everybody to jump overboard. Most of the men who were not killed by the explosion got clear of the ship and reached rafts or wreckage, although a few were seen to be swimming at a considerable distance from the ship.

Eight minutes after being struck the destroyer sank stern first. About fifteen minutes later the submarine came to the surface and picked up two survivors, although at the time only one was seen to be taken aboard. The submarine then submerged and was not seen again. Immediately after the sinking, the commanding officer, who jumped overboard as the ship sank, and was picked up by the motor dory, had efforts made to get all survivors on the rafts and get the rafts and boats together. He then began to make arrangements to reach the nearest land in the motor boat so as to bring assistance to the survivors on the rafts.

Lieut. Richards was given orders to take charge of the survivors and keep the rafts together. The commanding officer and the navigating officer, Lieut. Scott, knew accurately the position of the ship when she sank and also knew the course to the nearest port. They therefore made the trip in the motor dory with four men to assist. All the provisions and medical kit from the motor boat were left with the men in the rafts with half a bucket of water. The boat had to be pulled by oars, as the engine would not run.

After a trying trip, during which it was necessary to steer by the stars and by the direction of the wind, the boat was picked up at 1 o'clock the next afternoon by a small patrol vessel. The senior officer of the station to which this patrol vessel belonged informed Lieut. Commander Bagley that the other survivors had all been rescued.

Commander Bagley gives unstinted praise to the behavior of officers and men.

Lieut. Norman Scott, of St. Louis, executive officer, accomplished a great deal towards getting boats and rafts in the water, turning off steam from the fire room of the engine room, getting lifebelts and splinter mats from the bridge into the water, in person firing signal guns, encouraging and assisting the men, and in general doing everything possible in the short time available. He was of invaluable assistance during the time in the dory.

Lieut. J. K. Richards of Washington, D. C., was left in charge of all the rafts and his coolness and cheerfulness under exceedingly hard conditions was highly commendable and undoubtedly served to put heart in the men to stand the strain.

Lieut. (Junior grade) S. F. Kalk, of Washington, D. C., during the early part of the evening, though already in a weakened condition, came from one raft to another in order to equalize weight on the rafts. The men who were on the rafts with him state in their own words, that "He was game to the last."

Lieut. (Junior grade) N. N. Gates of Bay City, Mich., was reported calm and efficient in the performance of duty.

During the night Charles Worth of New York city, boatswain's mate, first class, removed parts of his own clothing (when all realized that their lives depended on keeping warm) to try to keep alive men more thinly clad than himself. Commander Bagley recommended that he be commended for his action.

At the risk of almost certain death, Philip J. Burger of Lansingburgh, N. Y., seaman second class, remained in the motor sailer and endeavored to get it clear for floating from the ship. While he did not succeed in accomplishing this work (which would undoubtedly have saved 20 or 30 lives), he stuck to duty until the very last and is recommended as being most worthy of commendation. He was drawn under the water with the boat, but [illegible] to the surface and was rescued.

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THE ERA OF ECONOMY.

Every time one of our young men leaves Ulster county to take up military or naval service for the United States, the productive power of the county and of the community where he lives is lessened to that extent, and an increased burden falls on those who are left at home. It is one of the necessary accompaniments of war, and every generation which passes through a war of any magnitude must bear the burden. Except among extreme militarists of the Prussian type, peace is the normal condition of the human race, and the abnormal condition produced by war requires not only individual thrift but the practice of economy in the administration of all public affairs so far as may be consistent with public safety. Higher prices naturally obtain for all commodities during war time. For the first time in our national history, the Government has adopted a system of individual and family aid for dependents whose source of support is removed by his entrance into the military or naval service, part of it coming from the pay of that individual and part of it being supplied from the public treasury. For the non-combatants who remain at home the practice of economy is necessary, and they find it necessary to substitute many new things in their daily life for the things to which they have been accustomed in time of world peace. The most common substitutions are found in food and clothing. The most notable and necessary substitutions are in food products, and the inability to supply some kinds of food has led manufacturers to produce many substitutes as a matter of necessity. Such substitutes by degrees will become better as manufacturing methods are perfected and readjustment takes place in methods of production and distribution of raw material, but in the meantime the substitutes are freely used.

An exception to this general rule has come to light at the City Home, where the inmates use real dairy butter in place of substitutes which grace many tables. A law of some years' standing which makes it illegal for any institution receiving public money to use any substitute for dairy products compels the purchase of dairy butter for the City Home table. Nobody begrudges the City Home inmates any comforts they receive, but many householders must wish secretly they were able to purchase for their own tables in the same way. Past experience long ago showed the necessity for such a law, but a time has come when many laws must be repealed, or their operation temporarily suspended, on account of the war. The State Board of Charities announces that the Legislature will be asked to repeal the law in question and hopes the local charities board will use its influence to secure such repeal. Is "influence" with legislators necessary to secure such legislation at a time like this? To whom would it be applied and why?

BOMBING CHURCHES.

French and English aeroplanes having dropped bombs on several cities across the border by way of tardy reprisal and given the Germans a wholesale dose of their own medicine, the enemy is reported to be greatly alarmed by America's vast preparation for aerial warfare. But Teutonic hatred of art treasures in the countries of the allies has not become any less savage. According to Baedeker, the alert German-guide-book writer, Padua was a famous seat of learning in the Middle Ages and the Renaissance period and is now a treasure house of works by some of the greatest Italian artists. Presumably German airmen carry Baedeker as a guide in their Italian devastations, for they steered straight for Padua at the first opportunity.

It may be presumed further that on arriving there they chose as the object of their attack the ancient church of Carmini with its priceless frescoes by Titian and Campagnola because religion of the Kaiser's type is peculiarly a German affair, claiming the Creator of the universe as a German tribal Deity and placing all other nations far outside of the pale, with the involved assumption that only German churches have any right to protection if even the right to exist. At all events dispatches relate that the dome of the bombed church of Carmini burned throughout the night and that a second raid of German airmen destroyed the facade of Padua's cathedral also. When this war is over—and rightly over—what is going to gratify this German passion which now reveals in the bombing and bombardment of cathedrals and churches in general? The world faces a stern and imperative duty, that of putting a mad outlaw-nation in a strait-jacket.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Is your husband subject to draft?" "Yes, indeed. He catches cold at the slightest thing."—Detroit Free Press.

Stranger (trying to be friendly)—"How is your health." Mr. Chronic (gruffly)—"How do I know? I haven't had any for five years."—Puck.

"So you got mad at him for kissing you?" "No; I got angry at him for saying he was sorry he did it, when I pretended I was angry."—Houston Post.

"How did you first learn that you loved me, sweetheart?" "I found that I got very angry whenever I heard anybody calling you a brainless idiot."—Puck.

"Willie, against orders, allowed his chum to take him to the river on a fishing trip." "Then what happened?" "His father took him to the back shed on a whaling expedition."—Baltimore American.

"Oh, Gap!" cried Mrs. Johnson. "The baby has just drank up the bottle of ink. What shall we do?" "Write with a lead pencil I reckon," replied Mr. Gap Johnson, of Rumpus Ridge, Ark. "If there is any one on the—yaw-w-wn!—place."—Judge.

"What this country needs——" began the querulous citizen. "Don't tell me!" exclaimed Senator Sorghum. "This country has about everything it can use in its business. And if there is one thing it doesn't need at this moment it's some one to collect a crowd and tell it what it needs."—Washington Star.

"No Skye Scraper."

"Dogs Clipped Here," read the sign on the front of the building.

A lady, who carried a little wooly dog under her arm looked at the sign and then entered.

"I see you clip dogs," she said to the proprietor. "Now I want Toots clipped very close. The poor animal suffered from the heat all last summer, and I'm not going to have him repeat his suffering. Besides, it's a terrible job to comb his hair. Please clip him at once."

The dog shaver picked up the mutt and looked him over. You couldn't tell which was the head and which was the tail. He looked at it doubtfully.

"What kind of a dog is this, ma'am?" he asked.

"Tootsie is a Skye."

He handed Tootsie back with a regretful sigh.

"Pardon me, ma'am," he said, "but I can't do it. I ain't no skye scraper!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Puzzling.

"I'm the man you are looking for," said the applicant for a job.

"How do you know you are?" asked the boss.

"Because I have energy, initiative and ambition. I'm as smart as a steel trap and as quick as lightning. Those who know me call me a human dynamo."

"There's one thing I don't understand," said the boss, thoughtfully.

"What is that?"

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Heroic Remedy.

The physician to whom the Irishman had applied for relief from a stomach ailment asked on the occasion of his last visit:

"Have you been drinking the very hot water an hour before each meal, as I directed? If so, how do you feel now?"

"Doc," said the Colt, "I tried hard to do it, but I had to quit. I drank for thirty-five minutes, and it made me feel like a balloon!"—New York Times.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

Jan. 11, 1898.—Rondout business men organized to get U. & D. trade.

John E. Sault appointed principal of Ulster Academy.

Jan. 11, 1908.—Ventilating system in new addition to School No. 5 tested with satisfactory results.

Michael Bergen died, aged 72 years.

Ulster County Horse Owners' Protective Association elected its first officers.

Kelly Engrosses Resolutions.

Professor Charles L. Kelly of Spencer's Business College, has just completed a code of resolutions commemorating the 30th anniversary of the ordination of Rev. John H. Brody of St. Joseph's Church. The entire chart of resolutions were drawn up and engrossed by Professor Kelly in a most skilled manner, making it a piece of art, in expert penmanship and grammatical philosophy. In such a large undertaking there are often several errors before completion, but this chart was finished without a blur which reflects great concentration upon the part of Mr. Kelly, whose efficient conduction of the Spencer's Business School has made it one of the foremost in business training in New York state.

Place for Him.

Penny, aged six, was in the first grade. His teacher asked him what he was going to do during vacation. "I am going to join the army," he replied. "You can't, because you are only an infant," she told him. "Well, then I'll join the infantry."

ANNUAL DINNER OF ULSTER CO. SOCIETY

Judging by the acceptances already received, the second annual banquet of the Ulster County Society at the Hotel Biltmore, New York, on Saturday evening, February 9, will be attended by over 250 former Ulster County men. Judge A. B. Parker will preside, and among the speakers will be the Hon. A. T. Clearwater of Kingston, Senator Edmund W. Wakelee of New Jersey, a former Kingstonian, and Macdonald DeWitt of New York, a son of the late Hon. D. M. DeWitt of Kingston. The Entertainment Committee, William Winter, Holley R. Cantine and Frank Van Aken, who had charge of the banquet last year at the Hotel Manhattan, and which was so pronounced a success, are handling the affair this year and the committee will see to it that nothing will be left undone to make the dinner an even greater success this year. The membership of the society is now well over 300, and growing. All who attended the dinner last year were more than pleased with the manner in which it was conducted, an especially important feature being the reception when men who had not seen each other in many instances in twenty-five or thirty years, were brought together, and found their way back to the boyhood days. Residents of Ulster county are invited to join the society, and attend the dinner, the price of which is $5. The annual dues of the society are $1. Acceptances for the dinner are now being received by Treasurer Holley R. Cantine, 38 Park Row, New York, and Joseph Drake, the secretary of 116 Nassau street, will forwards membership blanks to those desirous of becoming members. The Chamber of Commerce of Kingston will be represented at the banquet.

HIGHLAND AIDS SOLDIERS' COMFORT

The following list of contributors in Highland and vicinity of the Soldiers' Comfort Fund of the Home Defense Commitee should have been printed long ago, but has just been received by The Freeman:

Name	Amount
John Schuhle	$100 00
Grace V. B. Roberts	75 00
Paul McEwen	100 00
A. P. Wilklow	5 00
Austin B. Merritt	5 00
P. E. McCabe	5 00
Arthur B. Merritt	2 00
C. W. Elting	2 00
Orange Ingraham	2 00
Jesse D. Rose	2 00
Atkins Brothers	5 00
H. E. Wilcox	2 00
H. W. Maynard	2 00
Charles C. Whittaker	2 00
A. D. & A. W. Lent	5 00
G. J. LaMoree	5 00
Clifton Carpenter	2 00
Lorin Schantz	2 00
S. G. Carpenter	5 00
Herbert Seaman	2 00
John C. Feeter	2 00
Charles Carpenter	2 00
Louis Smith	2 00
A. W. Williams	5 00
J. W. Feeter	5 00
G. W. Pratt, Jr.	5 00
Henry Erichson	5 00
Herman Martin	2 00
Charles L. DuBois	2 00
Martin G. Schantz	5 00
M. G. Terwilliger	5 00
M. A. Pressler	5 00
Girls' Dance Committee	11 61
Luther D. Wilklow	5 00
C. M. Woolsey	10 00
Total	$403 61

METTACAHONTS.

Mettacahonts, Jan. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wood sailed from New York city on Saturday on a Clyde Line steamer for Florida, where they will spend the winter at Ormond Beach. The best wishes of their many friends go with them for a very pleasant winter.

William Wood, who has been ill, is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke Churchill of Mombaccus, and son, Clyde, were pleasantly entertained on Sunday at the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Vandemark.

Robert Hendrickson of Hurley spent from Friday until Sunday as the guest of his father, Elmer R. Hendrickson.

Alton Dingy had the misfortune to freeze his ears very badly one morning recently.

Neal Hornbeck of Leibhardt spent a couple of days recently as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hornbeck.

Tom Connor and Arthur Kelder have been engaged in teaming for Jesse Osterhoudt during the week.

Mrs. Vira E. Hendrickson has returned to her school at Alligerville after spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. E. D. Markle and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Miller recently spent an afternoon as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hornbeck.

The cold weather we have been experiencing lately in this region has proven rather detrimental to the poultry business and caused a slump in the egg laying.

School was late in commencing on Monday owing to our teacher, Miss Dick of Kingston, missing the 6 o'clock train to Accord. On account of the icy trolley tracks in the city it was impossible to make the train.

James Wood, with Edgar Quick as assistant, is making a number of improvements to his residence.

Rosswell Osterhoudt and son enjoyed a sleighride on Sunday.

Eli Rider and Russell Miller were in Kerhonkson during the week.

Sunday school was well attended on Sunday and election of officers was held for the coming year. C. D. Osterhoudt was re-elected superintendent with Stanley Kelder as assistant.

A number of our farmers have been taking advantage of the fine sleighing to draw their summer's supply of fire wood from the woods.

David Osterhoudt and Deroy Baker have been drawing logs to J. H. Baker's mill.

Arthur Kelder and Will Wood were busy on Tuesday drawing hay from a farm near Kripplebush to Accord. Mr. Kelder had the misfortune to upset twice with his load, owing to the slippery condition of the roads.

Eli Rider called on Edgar Quick on Tuesday evening. Mr. Rider intends adding some improvements to his dwelling house in the near future.

Josiah Krom has been making repairs to the school house.

Mrs. S. E. Churchwell is spending some time with Miss Edna Markle.

During the recent cold weather the water in the well on the Eli Hendrickson place entirely disappeared, leaving a dry bottom. The next day the water all came back again.

Mr. Muskowitz has returned to his work in Bayonne, N. J., after a short stay with his family in town.

Mrs. Rachel Hornbeck called on Mrs. F. Zeaman Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Quick of Millbrook enjoyed a sleigh ride through town on Sunday afternoon.

HIGH FALLS.

High Falls, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Richard Purvis and daughter, Elizabeth, of Kingston, spent one day the past week at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Freer.

The Misses Bertha and Florence Greer have gone to Atlantic City.

Miss Elizabeth Depuy of New York city, who has been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Cinderella Depuy, returned to the city on Tuesday of this week.

Lewis Countryman and his brother, Philip Countryman, who have been spending the holidays with their families, have returned to their work.

The Ladies' Aid Society met in the chapel of the Reformed church on Thursday afternoon of the past week. There were only ten present on account of the severe weather. The quilt was finished. All those present enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. Mrs. Festus Yeager and Mrs. Millard Roosa served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCausland spent their two weeks' vacation with relatives in Kingston.

Mrs. Cinderella Depuy called on Mrs. John Depuy on Tuesday afternoon.

The young people are practicing for a play to be given in the near future.

Miss Nettie Duym was home for the holiday season.

A Long Wait.

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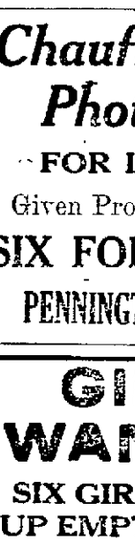

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TIME TABLE OF
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Trains are due to leave this city as follows:
Rondout Sta., †6:25, ‡7:30 a. m.; †2:15 p. m.
Union Sta., †7:00, ‡8:00 a. m.; †2:40 p. m.
Trains are due to arrive as follows:
Union Sta., †11:15 a. m.; ‡5:18, †7:19 p. m.
Rondout Sta., †11:55 a. m.; ‡5:35, †7:40 p. m.
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For the six months ending Dec. 31, 1917, interest will be credited Jan. 1, 1918, at 4 per cent per annum.
Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest.
Money deposited on or before January 10th and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1918, will be credited with six (6) months' interest.
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Deposits made on or before Feb. 3, 1918, and remaining in bank until July 1, 1918, will be credited with five (5) months' interest.
Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.
Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, post office or express money order.
Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.
Interest at the rate of 4 per centum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1917.
Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month.
Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

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Interest credited semi-annually, January and July.
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Deposits commence to draw interest on the first of each month.
All deposits made on or before the 10th day of January and July draw interest from the first days of those months.
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Rib Roast	16c lb
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Flank Steak	22c lb
Liver, 2 lbs	25c
Stew Beef	12c lb
Cross Rib Pot Roast	20c lb
Rump Pot Roast	16c lb
Chuck of Beef	16c lb
Rump Corned Beef	16c lb
Fancy Killed Chickens	25c lb
Beef Hearts	10c lb
Calf Hearts	12 1-2clb
Leg of Veal	20c lb
Stew Veal	16c lb
Veal Chops	20c lb
Leg of Pork	27c lb
Pork Chops	25c lb
Belly Pork	28c lb
Salt Pork	28c lb
Pork Sausage	27c lb
Pork Shoulders	25c lb
Liverwurst	16c lb
Headcheese	16c lb
Home Made Bologna	22c lb
Fresh Fish, 2 lbs	25c
Cally Hams	26c lb
Home Made Sauerkraut	7c lb
Mueller's Macaroni	10c
Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Oleo Butter	27c
Ward's Cake	12c
Sure Rising Buckwheat, Aunt Jemima's and Kaple, 2 boxes	25c
Celery Hearts	5c stalk
Red Cranberries	10c qt
Lettuce	8c head
2 Cans Corn	25c
Salt	5c sack
Baldwin Apples	35c basket
Malaga Grapes, 2 lbs	25c
Home Buckwheat Flour, 4 lb	30c

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Dried Beans, all kinds	17c
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FINEST PRISON IS AT NAPANOCH

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 9.—The State Commission of Prisons has approved the following report of inspection of the Eastern New York Reformatory at Napanoch:

Eastern New York Reformatory
Napanoch

Inspected December 29, 1917. Frank L. Christian, M. D., superintendent; George Deyo, assistant superintendent.

This institution, one of the finest architecturally and most modern in its appointments in the state, is under the same board of managers as the New York State Reformatory at Elmira. No prisoners are committed here directly, the population being made up of prisoners over 25 years, parole violators, and men needed for special duties transferred fom the Elmira institution.

The cell capacity is 496. On the day of inspection the population was 215, a very low one, as is the condition of most penal institutions in the state. The daily average population for the fiscal year was 282.2.

The whole institution was cleanly and orderly in every particular, showing proper management and control.

The work of installing the necessary piping, fixtures, etc., in each individual cell in the south cell block has been steadily going on during the past year and at present is practically completed, and the prisoners will soon occupy this entire block. There has been more or less delay in connection with this work, owing to the continual advance in price of the materials entering into the work together with its uncertain delivery. With the completion of this job in the south cell block a similar system will be installed in the north cell block; the work will be commenced as soon as sufficient funds are appropriated. A detailed description of these fixtures together with the description of their operation was given in the report of last year.

The continued use of whitewash in the interior of the cells in the south cell block, as mentioned in last years's report, has been entirely done away with, and all these cells together with the exterior walls of the building and of the cell block proper have received two coats of specially prepared paint, which is entirely sanitary and can be kept so by simply washing the walls. The painting of this cell block has greatly improved its appearance and sanitary condition as well as affording additional light to the individual cells which are finished in white enamel paint. The use of whitewash in the north cell block will also be discontinued and the cells will be painted in the same way as the south block, when the prisoners move to the south block.

The so-called punishment "Screen Cells" in the basement of the main building, mentioned in the last report, have been abandoned and new isolation cells have been completed which are located in the front of basement directly under the main building. These isolation cells are large commodious cells, constructed of concrete walls, painted white, with fronts constructed of bars. They face the outside windows which afford plenty of light and ventilation and, being painted with specially prepared paint, can be kept at all times in perfect sanitary condition.

Regular full rations are given those confined and at night a board bunk and blanket is provided. For the six months ending December 31st, eight prisoners were confined in isolation, the time ranging from one day to eight days in one case. Three of the prisoners were confined twice during this period. The officers were impressed with the necessity of giving men confined in isolation proper exercise when confined over one day.

The work of repainting the bakery, kitchen and the south cell block has been done entirely by inmate labor and affords the men a practical knowledge of this branch of the work. The interior of the above buildings have received two coats of white enamel paint with trim of a cement color which gives a very light and pleasing appearance to the interiors of these buildings.

Connected with the institution are 312 acres of land of which 57 are available for cultivation; 18 acres of tillable land were purchased in 1916 for $2,500 and on this plot 2,000 bushels of potatoes were raised this year. The garden produces all vegetables required for institutional use, the principal crops being:

Potatoes	3300 bushels
Rye	200 bushels
Carrots	112 bushels
Beans	30 bushels
Cabbage	15000 pounds
Sweet Corn	7500 pounds
Parsnips	175 bushels
Tomatoes	4890 pounds
Turnips	150 bushels
Onions	415 bushels

150 bushels of onions were sold to other institutions.

The assignment of inmates as to occupations on the day of inspection was as follows:

Grading	19
Mess hall and kitchen	23
Tailoring and shoe department	20
Cell halls and G. R. F.	21
Carpenters	11
Yard	2
Barn	7
With chief engineer	10
Painters	9
Farm	7
Machine shop	5
Blacksmith shop	10
Bath house and laundry	11
Plumbing shop	10
School of letters	11
General work outside walls, etc.	14
Miscellaneous—clerks, porters, etc.	15
Hospital (employes and patients)	9
Third grade	9
Total population	215

Work on the new hospital building was not resumed this year until June owing to the condition of the market for building materials and their uncertain delivery. At that time, the brick work on the east extension was commenced and has progressed steadily. At the present time, the building is well on toward completion.

The work of grading and constructing roads throughout the institutional yard has been in progress throughout the year, and is another branch of work affording excellent exercise for the inmates engaged.

An appropriation of $5,000 was allowed for the construction of a new horse barn for the housing of sixteen horses. Plans have been approved and material is being arranged for, so that the building will be commenced in the spring.

Religious services, Protestant, Catholic and Jewish, are held each week. Educational facilities are of a high order and an excellent library is provided which is well patronized. The kitchen, a thoroughly up-to-date one, turns out good food, which is supplied in ample quantities to all inmates.

The really beautiful chapel serves not only for religious services, but as a place of amusement where amateur entertainments are given and moving pictures shown every week.

The bath house with 75 compartments is equipped with modern plumbing and fully meets the needs of the institution in this respect.

The striking feature of the whole plant is the successful work which has been done in construction, equipment and decorating entirely by prisoners confined here under the direction of the competent instructors provided by the institution. No civilian employes of any trade have been needed. Among the notable accomplishments since the board of managers assumed control [illegible] massive prison wall, 2,300 [illegible] 22 feet above ground and from 8 to 16 feet below ground. The big reservoir dam, 215 feet above the yard grade with a capacity of 3½ million gallons, a water system of 30,000 lineal feet of trench with an 8 inch main, the conduit system, the power house with 100 foot stack and complete electrical equipment, the fine laundry and bath house plant, the new domestic building containing kitchen, bakery, mess hall, the new chapel, the lighting system, sewage disposal plant, new hospital besides the rough work of grading, farming, etc.

The board of managers have submitted requests for the following appropriations to the legislature of 1918:

Completing hospital building	$9,850.00
Plumbing in cell block	7,500.00
Ice house	2,500.00
Repairs	2,000.00
Piggery	2,500.00
Propagating house for starting plants	1,500.00

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$18.00 Suits marked down to	$10.00
20.00 Suits marked down to	12.50
25.00 Suits marked down to	14.00
30.00 Suits marked down to	16.00
35.00 Suits marked down to	17.50
40.00 Suits marked down to	20.00
45.00 Suits marked down to	22.50

Ladies' Dresses 25 Per Ct. Off

$10.98 Dresses marked down to	$ 8.33
12.98 Dresses marked down to	9.74
17.98 Dresses marked down to	13.48
20.98 Dresses marked down to	15.73

Ladies' Coats 25 Per Ct. Off

$15.00 Coats marked down to	$11.25
20.00 Coats marked down to	15.00
25.00 Coats marked down to	18.75
32.00 Coats marked down to	24.00
35.00 Coats marked down to	26.25
45.00 Coats marked down to	33.75
75.00 Coats marked down to	56.25

Ladies' Fur Muffs 25 Per Ct. Off

$10.00 Fur Sets marked down to	$ 5.24
15.00 Fur Sets marked down to	7.50
20.00 Fur Sets marked down to	11.25
25.00 Fur Sets marked down to	15.00

Fur Sets 25 Per Cent Off

$10.00 Fur Sets marked down to	$ 7.50
15.00 Fur Sets marked down to	10.75
25.00 Fur Sets marked down to	18.75
35.00 Fur Sets marked down to	26.25
45.00 Fur Sets marked down to	33.75

Ladies Skirts 25 Per Cent Off

$2.98 Skirts marked down to	$2.25
3.50 Skirts marked down to	2.62
4.50 Skirts marked down to	3.38
5.50 Skirts marked down to	4.12
7.50 Skirts marked down to	5.63

Ladies' Petticoats 25 Per Ct. Off

$2.98 Petticoats marked down to	$2.23
3.50 Petticoats marked down to	2.62
4.50 Petticoats marked down to	3.37
5.50 Petticoats marked down to	4.12
7.50 Petticoats marked down to	5.62

Ladies' Waists 25 Per Ct. Off

$.98 Waists marked down to	$ .74
2.50 Waists marked down to	1.88
4.00 Waists marked down to	3.00
7.00 Waists marked down to	5.25

Ladies' Silk Waists — Values $5.00 to $7.00 — 2.00

Ladies' Coats — Values Up to $27.50 — 14.50

Ladies' Coats — Values Up to $15.00 — 5.00

Ladies' Suits — Values Up to $25.00 — 10.00

Wash Waists — $1.00 Values — 69c

Boys' Mackinaws — $9.00 Values — 6.50

Mens' Pants — $5.00 Values — 3.25

Men's Overcoats — $20.00 Values — 14.50

Men's---Boys' Mackinaws 20 Per Cent Off

$12.00 Mackinaws marked down to	$9.60
$15.00 Mackinaws marked down to	$12.00
$18.00 Mackinaws marked down to	$14.40
$20.00 Mackinaws marked down to	$16.00

Boys' Suits and Overcoats 25 Per Cent Off

$9.98 Suits and Overcoats marked down to	$7.48
$12.98 Suits and Overcoats marked down to	$9.74
$15.00 Suits and Overcoats marked down to	$11.25
$18.00 Suits and Overcoats marked down to	13.50

Sweaters for All 20 Per Cent Off

$3.98 Sweaters marked down to	$3.18
$6.98 Sweaters marked down to	$5.58
$9.98 Sweaters marked down to	$7.98
$10.98 Sweaters marked down to	$8.79

Men's Suits 20 Per Cent Off

$20. Suits marked down to	$16
$25 Suits marked down to	$20
$30 Suits marked down to	$24
$35 Suits marked down to	$28
$40 Suits marked down to	$32

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$25 Overcoats marked down to	$20
$30 Overcoats marked down to	$24
$35 Overcoats marked down to	$28

Elephant in Biblical Hebrew.

It is said by scholars that no word in Biblical Hebrew denotes an elephant, yet the Hebrews were familiar with ivory, and the skilled workmen of Hiram, king of Tyre, fashioned the great ivory throne of Solomon and overlaid it with pure gold.

Game Laws in the Bible.

If you wish to know the first game law ever enacted for the protection of birds turn to the Book of Deuteronomy, 22:6.

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Nuts are wasted in great quantities in some parts of the country. This is true especially of such varieties as black walnuts and butternuts which have kernels not so easily taken from their shells as those of chestnuts and hickory nuts. It is probable that not half of the nuts which ripen every fall in the United States are ever eaten by human beings.

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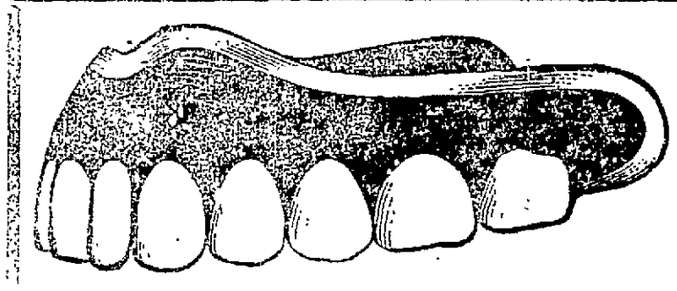

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Fresh Killed Chickens	30c lb

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Sirloin Steak	26c lb
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Prime Beef Roast	22-24c
Stew Beef	16c lb
Chuck Steak	24c lb

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Veal Chops	24c lb
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Smoked Liver Sausage.	
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LANTRY WRITES OF LIFE IN TEXAS

What a Private in the Aviation Section of the Army Does Day by Day While in Training.

Kelly Field No. 1, South Antonio, Texas, Jan 6.—Just a few lines to give you some idea of what the Aviation Section of the army does. We left Ft. Slocum on a Monday morning and arrived at San Antonio the following Saturday morning. We were put in day coaches till we arrived at New Orleans, and then we got tourists' cars. All we got to eat was corn beef and bread and sometimes coffee to drink. When we arrived in camp we were put in tents. Five men to a tent. Each tent has a stove in it and there are five cots and three blankets apiece. This camp has been built about a year and is far from being completed. It's awful sandy here and plenty of cactus on the grounds. Much of labor here is Mexican. All men are out and dressed at 6 o'clock. Breakfast at 7 o'clock. Details for work are sent out at 7:30. Dinner is 12 o'clock. Roll call is at 5 o'clock and also supper. All men have to be in camp at 11 o'clock. Nothing to do till the next day. One can see plenty of aeroplanes here as they are flying all day. They are building new ones every day. We have three Y. M. C. A.'s here, one Y. W. C. A. and one Knights of Columbus building here and three canteens. The grounds are reached either by trolley or automobiles. We have a band. There is a weekly camp paper published here and is given free of charge to the soldiers. There are plenty of army doctors and dentists here for the soldiers. Every soldier gets plenty to eat and the grub is good. All the men had turkey for Christmas dinner. Each man receives three inoculations and is also vaccinated. There are eight post offices here for mail and they are all stacked with mail. There are about fifty thousand men in the camp. Regular inspection is every morning and line inspection is Saturday morning. Among the Kingston men here are Charles Longendyke, Willard Joy, John Weaver, Ross DeGarmo, Harry B. Elmendorf. Every man is obliged to take a trade test to see what work he is best fitted for. The tents are divided into streets and each line has a lieutenant, sergeant major and sergeant. Each tent has a corporal. Each line of tent has a supply tent where material and tools are given out. Hoping this letter will be published in your paper for the interest of your readers and hoping to be home by next Christmas, I remain yours,

Priv. KENNETH D. LANTRY,
2nd Training Brigade,
Kelly Field No. 1, Line No. 7,
South San Antonio, Texas.

OUR SUPERVISORS A CENTURY AGO

One hundred years ago my grandfather, Richard I. Woolsey, was supervisor of the town of Marlborough, and was one of the committee which built the court house as it is now standing.

At that time there were but thirteen towns in the county

Esopus—Joshua DeGroff, supervisor.
Hurley—Jacobus Hardenburgh.
Kingston—Thomas Van Gaasbeck.
Marbletown—Abram G. Hasbrouck
Marlborough—Richard I. Woolsey.
New Paltz—Wells Lake
Plattekill—John Hait, Jr.
Rochester—John I. Hardenburgh.
Saugerties—Jacob Snyder.
Shandaken—Henry W. Rogers.
Shawangunk—Agram J. Hardenburgh
Wawarsing—Benjamin R. Bevier.
Woodstock—Isaac Elting

What great changes have taken place in this county in wealth, population and science. What will the next hundred years produce?

C. M. WOOLSEY.

LEIBHARDT.

Leibhardt, Jan. 10.—Preaching services will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. Heroy.

Miss Rae Churchill and Miss Georgia Hornbeck, who have been spending two weeks' vacation at home, have returned to their position at Cornwall.

Lester and Herman Osterhoudt of Mettacahonts spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Quick.

Mr and Mrs. Herman Quick entertained company from Krumville and Patankunk Sunday.

Peter Barnhart and son, Vernon Barnhart, attended the business meeting of the Kerhonkson bank on Tuesday, January 8.

Mrs. Lang, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is improving under the care of Dr. Fuller of Kerhonkson

Henry Berger of Tabasco called on friends in this place Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs Abe Hendrickson and daughter, Miss Celestia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Quick Saturday night and Sunday at Mill Hook.

Miss Gladsy Carter is expecting to go to New York for the remainder of the winter.

Louis Hendrickson and his father, also Chester Quick, are in partnership shaving hoops.

The steam mill has shut down for a while on account of the weather.

School reopened on Monday, January 7, after a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Georgia Hornbeck and sister, Miss Grace, were guests at the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. D. DeWitt, last Friday.

The funeral of Mrs. Judith Quick, who was found dead at her home on Friday morning, January 4 was held in the M. E. Church Monday, January 7. Mrs. Quick had been in poor health for a long time and had lived alone since the death of her husband. Dennis Quick who died three years ago. She had resided in Leibhardt nearly all her life and was highly respected and beloved by all her neighbors and always of a cheerful disposition and she had a kind word and a pleasant smile for everyone she met.

one she met. She is survived by two sons, Albert Quick of Tongore and Oscar of Walden and five daughters, Mrs. Frank Lounsberry of Mombaccus, Mrs. Eugene Dunnigan of Ilion, Miss Sylvia Quick and Mrs. Raymond Cole of Amsterdam and Mrs. Chauncey Van Demark of Briarcliff; also three brothers and 11 grandchildren and a number of othe elatives. Rev. Mr. Heroy officiating, the interment was in the Krumville cemetery.

Several families have received a fine 1918 calendar from Mr. Barnhart, insurance agent of High Falls.

William Markle was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brown on Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Thompson and little nephew Peter Barnhart called on Mrs. Agnes Brown and Mrs. Alex Brown Tuesday afternoon.

JANUARY PRE-INVENTORY SALE

This Pre-Inventory Sale comes at "Stock Taking Time" when in going thoroughly through our stocks after a year of merchandising we find many depleted lines, many broken assortments, odd styles and discontinued makes of various merchandise, which we deem necessary as good business principles to dispose of, even at a sacrifice. Our value giving at this Pre-Inventory Sale will be just as great as they have been in the past, which is too well known to the people of Kingston and vicinity to go into elaborate detail.

Remnants of *WOOL GOODS* At 1-2 PRICE

Included in this lot of wool remnants are serges, fancy mixtures, plaids and stripes, colors and blacks, lengths enough for children's dresses and skirts. Sold at exactly one-half the marked price.

MEN'S SHIRTS At 79c

Some shirts for the big man. There are plain and plaited fronts, colored stripes, stiff cuffs attached, sizes 15½ to 18, value today, $1.25. Pre-inventory sale, 79c.

Special Values in Waists

G. A. Hart & Co. have always been known for their big values in waists at their special sales, and this one is no exception. We offer in this lot fine Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Satin, Silks and Flannels, all sizes, late models, all colors, were $3.95 to 8.00. Pre-inventory sale, $2.95, $3.95, $4.95, $5.25.

Sale of Coatings

54 and 56 inch Boucle and Fancy Mixtures, all wool, excellent for children's and women's coats, value up to $3.50. Pre-inventory Sale price, $2.00 and $2.50.

SALE OF PLUSH COATS

Plush coats are a standard garment and as good one year as another; styles change slightly, yet we are anxious to reduce stocks and offer you these beautiful Plush Models at a wonderful saving. The following prices will prevail during this sale:

Plush Coats, value $32.50, now	$22.50
Plush Coats, value $37.50, now	$27.50
Plush Coats, value $42.00, now	$29.50
Plush Coats, value $55.00, now	$42.00
Plush Coats, value $62.50, now	$50.00
Plush Coats, value $87.50, now	$65.00

SALE OF GOSSARD CORSETS DISCONTINUED FABRICS

The models are new, correct interpretation of the new silhouette; the materials in these garments were made to Gossard's order before rising costs compelled the manufacturer to discontinue them.

Every woman will wish to to take advantage of the savings offered by this sale of standard merchandise; all front lace models, correct designing, finest workmanship and perfect fit. Values in this sale are worth up to $8.00, and will be offered (all sizes)

$2.95 to $3.95

SERGE DRESSES REDUCED

This is your opportunity to save as you are well aware that wool goods will be higher than at present. Here you can buy a fine serge dress, beautifully made, either plain tailored or embroidery trimmed in colors of navy, brown, mode, plum, green and black. Some fur trimmed, others Satin collars and Georgette trimmed, at a big saving. All sizes 16 to 40. Some Jersey dresses included.

Dresses that were $15.00	now $10.00
Dresses that were $17.50	now $13.50
Dresses that were $22.50	now $15.00
Dresses that were $27.50	now $19.50
Dresses that were $29.50	now $21.50
Dresses that were $32.50	now $22.50
Dresses that were $35.00	now $25.00

Women's, Children's Underwear

Odd lot, vests, and pants, white and cream, odd sizes and various weights, value to 75c. Pre-Inventory Sale prices 48c

Infants Wool Hose

Odd lot of Infants' Wool Hose, tan, blue and blacks, value 39c. Small sizes Pre-Inventory Sale .. 25c pair

Children's Lisle Hose

Here is an extra value in children's full fashioned shaped hose, made the same as women's, comes white, light blue, pink and black; very fine lisle. Sizes 5½ to 8. Hemmed tops. Value to day 50c, Pre-Inventory Sale, pair 25c

Silk Dresses Reduced

Silk Dresses of Satins, Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta and Georgette, all this season's models, in green, plum, brown, navy, black. Beautifully made. Fine for afternoon and evening wear, reduced to the following prices:

Silk Dresses were $12.50	now $ 6.75
Silk Dresses were $15.00	now $ 7.50
Silk Dresses were $22.50	now $18.50
Silk Dresses were $23.00	now $19.50
Silk Dresses were $20.50	now $23.50
Silk Dresses were $35.00	now $25.00

Remnants of Cotton Goods at ½ price

Included in this assortment is Cretonne, Curtain Material, Ginghams, Outings, Duckling, Fleece, etc., various lengths, Pre-Inventory Sale, ½ the marked price.

Children's Gloves

A little lot of Children's Gray Fleeced Lined Jersey Gloves. All sizes. Were 59c. Pre-Inventory Sale price..39c

Children's Calf Gloves, colors red, gray, navy. Small sizes, all wool sold for 29c, Pre-Inventory Sale price, pair 15c

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The word lancet is found in on one place in the Bible, I Kings, 17:2 The term is not the well-known blad used by surgeons, but appears to mea a javelin, or light spear.

Oat Cakes Like Primitive Bread.

The oat cakes of Scotland are sa to approach nearer the primitive typ of bread than anything else known t day.

There's a Reason.

"A man with a broad mind," spok the almost philosopher, "generally ha a wide acquaintance."

Trouble.

"Trouble," said Uncle Eben, "mostly foolishness dat comes so clo to home you can't laugh at it."

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$32.50	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$26.00
$30.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$24.00
$28.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$22.40
$25.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$20.00
$22.50	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$18.00
$20.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$16.00
$18.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$14.40
$16.50	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$13.20
$15.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$12.00
$12.00	OVERCOATS, Sale Price	-	$ 9.60

Boys' and Children's Overcoats

$15.00 Overcoats **$12.00**

$12.00 Overcoats **$ 9.60**

$10.00 Overcoats **$ 8.00**

$ 8.00 Overcoats **$ 6.40**

$ 6.00 Overcoats **$ 4.80**

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Coats that were marked at $15 and $16, but are $19 and $20 values. Sale Price . $13.50

$13.50 Overcoats -$11.50

$11.00 to $12.50 Overcoats for $8.95

$8.00 Overcoats $6.45

$6.50 and $7.00 Overcoats for $5.25

Other special priced Boys' School Coats for boys, ages 13 to 18

House Wear Offerings in January Sale

Ice Cream Dishes. Footed Nappies Jug. Set of Six Tumblers. Bowl.

ANY ONE OF THESE $1.65 ARTICLES FOR $1.29

Mayonnaise Sets. Sugar and Creams. 7-in. Bowls. Celery Trays. Spoon Trays.

ANY ONE OF THESE 95c ARTICLES FOR 69c

50c Wizard Mops for 35c
Special, Wizard Mops for 21c
25c cans of O-So-Ezy Polish for 10c
$1.25 covered jug and six glasses for 79c
75c Egg Beater for 59c

BLOUSES IN JANUARY SALE

$5.50 to $7.50 Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists of this season's goods during sale. $3.98

$5.50 Georgette Crepe Waists in odd sizes, mostly white, special .. $2.98

A noticeable reduction in prices placed on all suit waists.

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TOWNSHIP SCHOOL LAW DEFENDED

District Superintendent Andrews Thinks Supervisors Were Not Aware of All the Facts and Gives Them Some.

January 8, 1918.

Editor, Kingston Freeman:

Many persons in Ulster county who are interested in public education were surprised that the board of supervisors should pass a resolution calling upon our representatives in the state legislature to use their influence to secure the repeal of the township school law. This resolution purported to be based upon the wishes of the several constituencies represented by the supervisors, and persons most interested in rural educational progress are wondering to what extent the various constituencies throughout Ulster county were

WALLACE J. ANDREWS.

really consulted about this all-important matter. To most persons vitally interested in rural education the action of the board of supervisors came as a distinct surprise, and there is no little feeling in rural sections that this action was urged by a few disgruntled individuals who can no longer control school districts for their own financial gain and for the perpetuation of their own ascendency in neighborhood feuds, as was possible under the antiquated district system, and that the board of supervisors was induced to take action in this matter without any careful investigation into the merits of the case.

It would be interesting, therefore, to know to what extent the supervisors investigated rural educational conditions in Ulster county for the purpose of making a fair estimate of the relative value of the old district system as compared with the township system in the matter of administrative efficiency and in the more important matter of giving the country boy and girl educational opportunities to which the sons and daughters of a vigorous rural population are entitled.

Is it possible that the board of supervisors of Ulster county took action in this matter without such investigation? Is it possible that the board of supervisors took action of such momentous significance in a matter affecting the most important institution of rural Ulster county without giving it as much investigation and consideration as they gave to the question of the extermination of the black bear? The friends of the black bear had ample opportunity to be heard upon the question of his extermination, but the proceedings of the board as given in the county press do not indicate that the friends of rural education were given a hearing when action was to be taken affecting the progress of rural education. The black bear and Inspector Todd are to be congratulated! But the question of practically instructing our legislators to work for the re-establishing of a rural school administrative system conceived in the necessities of colonial New England, but long ago discarded by every state of the New England group and by many others throughout the country; the question as to whether a majority of country boys and girls shall continue to be robbed of their intellectual birthright of equality of educational opportunity by the crude machinery of a provincial system; the question as to whether rural New York shall keep in the center of the highway of educational progress through a system of administration that promises a better day for country schools or return to a system that has kept this state for a quarter of a century far behind the rest of the union in this matter—these questions are disposed of with but little apparent consideration for the wishes of the friends of rural education.

There are some significant questions that the board might have considered if it wished to be consistent in the application of general principles to this matter. If the district system is better for school administration, why is it not better for the administration of other town affairs? Why not divide the town up into districts for other business, permitting each district to elect its own officers, build its own roads, etc.? If school taxation over a whole town is "inequitable," to use the word found in the board's resolution, why is it not inequitable to use the town as the unit of taxation for other purposes? If the school affairs of a town can not be properly managed by a town school board, how is it that the other affairs of a town can be managed by a town board? To be consistent, a resolution calling for a return to the district system for school business should be followed by a resolution calling for a division of the towns into districts for other town matters, with a supervisor in charge of each district. Is it possible that those who are responsible for the formulation of the policies of the board of supervisors would contend that road building is properly a town matter and that the education of the future citizens of a town is of such slight relative importance as to be of no concern to the town as a whole? Do our county legislators believe that the training for future citizenship is a district matter in which towns have no responsibility?

Another significant question: Why did not the city supervisors ask for the repeal of the law that makes the city of Kingston a single unit for the administration of its schools? Why did they not ask for a return to the antiquated system that permitted each ward of the city of Kingston to manage its own school through a trustee or a board of trustees? If they think that such a worn-out system as that is good for rural Ulster, why not for Kingston? The answer is, that they know that the people of Kingston would not permit their school system to return to pre-Revolutionary practices. And, furthermore, the supervisors themselves would not think of taking such preposterous action in regard to the Kingston schools. Why, then, in the name of reason, do they want to foist back upon rural Ulster a system that would be an educational disgrace to Kingston? It may be answered that Kingston is more compact than the towns and can, therefore, manage its schools affairs better as a unit administered by a single board. But New York city, Chicago, Boston, in fact every large city in the country is a single unit for school administration. Would anybody contend that their educational problems are less intricate than the same problem in the towns of rural Ulster county? The schools of Greater New York are administered by a board of seven members.

However, the objection to the township system was not based upon extent of territory, but on the plea that it is "inequitable." Is it equitable, may I ask, that one district should have a tax rate three or four times as great as an adjoining district simply because of arbitrary boundaries established a century ago to meet the needs of pioneer life when isolation was relieved only by ox-cart, the horse and the weekly mail? Have railroads, the telegraph, the telephone, the daily mail and the automobile done nothing to break down the geographical and intellectual barriers of a century ago? Is it "equitable" that arbitrary boundaries should give one school district in a town an assessed valuation of only $6,796, as is the case in district No 10, town of Hardenbergh, while the assessed valuations of the other districts of the town range from $14,093 to $33,152, with practically identical problems to meet?

Is it "equitable" that the people of that district should be burdened with a tax rate two to four times as high as other districts in the town for the same educational advantages? Is it "equitable" that district No. 3, town of Shandaken, should have a tax rate of four mills on a dollar while district No. 13 immediately adjoining district No. 3 has a tax rate of thirteen mills on a dollar for the same educational advantages? Serious inequalities of this nature, which were prevalent in all sections of Ulster county under the district system, have been entirely removed by the equalization of taxation under the township system. Is it possible that the board of supervisors was not aware of these facts, which establish beyond the possibility of a doubt the greater equity of the township system, when they called for the repeal of this law on the theory that it is "inequitable?"

The favorite camouflage of those who would perpetuate the district system of school administration in New York state is to pour into the ears of an unsuspecting and romantic public a silver stream of fervid eloquence on the wonder and glory of the "little red school house." The fallacy in their argument against the township law is the contention that the "little red school house" and the district system are inseparable. That the district school system was one of the chief glories of colonial New York, serving at that time as a suitable expression of the educational ideals of a pioneer people willing to do their best to provide for the perpetuation of the intellectual and spiritual life of the colony, is looked upon by those who would continue this system into the twentieth century as a justification of their position. But the public school is the only institution to which they are willing to apply this argument. In other matters men of broad vision are content to preserve the indomitable spirit and high idealism of colonial days, and give this spirit and idealism opportunity to express themselves through the avenues of twentieth century efficiency in organization. But in rural school administration there is a determination to adhere to colonial inefficiency in organization as exemplified in the district system, even though it is apparent to the most casual observer that the perpetuation of the colonial organization has no relation whatever to the preservation of colonial educational idealism. If we can but retain and perpetuate the devotion to the cause of education that was responsible for the district system, we can safely dispense with the district system itself. This early devotion to education found expression in New England in the establishment of her first schools under the township system; but later, in 1789, the district system was legalized in response to the same sort of sentiment that is now clamoring for the repeal of the township law in New York state. Of this law of 1789 establishing a district system Horace Mann, one of the greatest of educational statesmen, said that it was "the most unfortunate law on the subject of common schools ever enacted in the state." A return to the district system in New York state at this time would be even more unfortunate. Let us learn to distinguish between democracy and provincialism in education.

Very truly yours,
WALLACE J. ANDREWS.
District Superintendent.

SAM BERNSTEIN & CO.

On Wall St. *Kingston, N. Y.* *Phone 14*

A WORD ABOUT PREMIUMS

We intend to increase our Premium Department this year adding many useful articles not heretofore carried.

Ask to see our new large assortment of Aluminum, Cut Glass, Silver, Crockery, Umbrellas, Suit Cases, and other household articles. Be sure and get a premium card with each purchase.

$3.00 Mens' Mufflers $1.98

About 50 Silk Knitted Mufflers. In many colors. Great value.

A WORD ABOUT STORE SERVICE

Mail or 'phone orders are given prompt and careful attention. All goods exchanged or money refunded. Our clerks aim to be courteous and help you in every way possible. All goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

Men's Overcoats

$9.85

Men's Overcoats in many styles. All this season's models well made and warm.

$14.75

In Box or Trench models Light or dark mixtures. Full or quarter lined. Snappy Coats for the young fellows.

$18.00

Dark Oxford or Black Kersey. Conservative Model. Rich gray, brown or blue mixtures in Trench, Box or Belt Models. Coats for the young or old men.

EXTRA SPECIAL!

$4.00 Men's Sweaters

Heavy Shaker Knit or Jumbo Knit Sweaters. In Dark Oxfords or Maroons With or without collars. Extra Value.

$2.98

Boys' Overcoats and Mackinaws

$4.85

Overcoats

A big line of Boys' Overboats at this price Trench or Box Models in plain colors or fancy mixtures.

$6.85

Overcoats

Full lined heavy coats with Convertible Collars in the newest Army Trench Models and other Belt styles so fashionable this season.

$4.85

Mackinaws

All wool Mackinaws in fancy patterned greys, browns, blues, reds and greens. Real heavy Mackinaw cloth in Norfolk belt style.

$1 Wool Process Underwear gray, heavy, wool process Shirts and Drawers.

50c Boys' Aviation and Hockey Caps all colors, fine or coarse knit.

50c Men's Leather Lined Mitts heavy leather, fleece lined, knit wristlet.

$1.95 Flannel Shirts gray and brown Flannel Shirts.

$2.95 Men's Corduroy Pants light or dark color corduroys.

65c Boys' Tan and Gray Blouses standard makes.

25c Boys' Mitts leather palm, cloth back, fleece lined.

Try Mother's Bread 3 Large Loaves for 25c

Potatoes Peck 43c

Special at Lasher's

—FOR—
SATURDAY
No. 616 BROADWAY

Fresh Eggs, doz. 50c

Try Ward's Cake box - - - 10c

Try Ward's Biscuit 3 for - - 25c

New Sauerkraut lb. - - - - 7c

LAMB, LAMB, LAMB.

Leg Lamb 25c
Hindquarter 25c
Lamb Chops 25c
Stew Lamb 15c
Forequarter Lamb 22c

ROAST, ROAST, ROAST.

Prime Rib Roast 20c
Best Pot Roast 20c
Best Chuck Roast 20c
Top Sirloin Roast 24c
Round Steak Roast 24c

STEAKS, STEAKS, STEAKS.

Best Porterhouse 24c
Best Round 24c
Best Sirloin 24c
Best Chuck 20c
Best Hamburg, the good kind 22c

PORK, PORK, PORK.

Belly Pork 28c
Roast Pork 28c
Loin Pork 28c
Fresh Hams 28c
Pure Pork Sausage 28c
Pork Chops 28c

SMOKED MEATS, SMOKED MEATS

Bacon, by strip 40c
Bacon, sliced 43c
California Hams 24c
Frankfurters 25c
Cooked Ham 50c
Mince Ham 25c
Home Made Bologna 16c
Fresh Made Liverwurst 16c
Large Skin Back Hams, whole or half 28c
Pig Feet 10c
Fresh Beef Liver 15c
Fresh Beef Hearts 12½c
3 large Grape Fruit 25c
Cranberries, qt 15c
Rutabaga Turnips, pk 25c
Large Oranges, doz 35c
Best Coffee 30c
Compound Lard 25c
Royal Oleo Butter 27c
Diamond A Butter Oleo 27c
New Cabbage, head 10c
Best Stew Beef 14-16c
Large Bunch Celery 12½c
Strap Leaf Turnips, pk 25c
Pig Heads 10c

Potatoes, bushel $1.65

No high prices at Lasher's Market, the poor man's friend

Nothing but the best Western Steer Beef in this sale.

Nut Butter Oleo, lb 30c
Try Our Coffee, lb 25c
Large Head Lettuce 10c
Sweet Oranges, 20 for 25c

VEAL VEAL. VEAL.

Leg Veal 20c
Loin Veal 20c
Shoulder Veal 18c
Shoulder Chops 18c
Veal Stew 12½c
Fancy Turkeys 40c
Fancy Fowls 30c
Home Killed Geese 28c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, pk 35c
Yuban Coffee 33c
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High Class Vaudeville

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FRANKLYN FARNUM in a

STORMY KNIGHT

An American Drama of Mystery and Romance

Another Cavity.

"Mamma," said small Edgar, "when sister Nettie had the toothache you took her to the dentist and had her tooth filled, didn't you?" "Yes, Edgar," she replied. "Well," continued the small diplomat, "I've got the stomachache; don't you think you'd better take me to the candy store and get it filled?"

Dutiful.

Our idea of a dutiful daughter crystallized into definite form yesterday when we saw a blooming young matron of this neighborhood stand by with an air of quiet resignment and exemplary patience while her mother did undoubtedly kindly intended things to the baby.—Columbus (O.) Journal.

TILLSON.

Tillson, Jan. 10.—Last Thursday night at about 8 o'clock the home of C. Carlstrom at Mud Hook was burned to the ground with all of its contents. Mrs. Carlstrom and little daughter were visiting friends in the city at the time of the fire. It will be remembered that only a few weeks ago Mr. Carlstrom had the misfortune to lose his two little boys by drowning.

Every one is glad at the departure of the cold wave.

Mrs. K. Walken and daughter, Anna, have returned home after spending the holidays with relatives in New York city.

Harold Mertine visited his parents here for a few days.

Mrs. Sheffield and son, Tom, have returned home after being away for a few weeks.

James H. Gallagher made a business trip to this place last week.

The funeral of Mrs. John Krom, formerly of this place, was held in the Reformed Church on New Year's day.

Mrs. C. T. Craig and family visited at Joseph Gylsinger's on Sunday afternoon.

Those who love the works of nature find it a beautiful sight to look on the trees covered with ice and the sun shining on them, since the rain.

Cure for Gout.

A cure for gout offered by a German physician is air impregnated with radium.

Gave Thimble to England.

The man who introduced thimbles to England was John Lofting, a mechanic and metal worker of Holland, who settled in England in the latter part of the seventeenth century, and practiced their manufacture in various metals, with great success.

Women Expert Sailors.

There is no gainsaying the fact that the Norwegians and Finns are nautical races, even the women of these nationalities being often expert sailors and, indeed, following the sea as a calling.

First in Fashion—First in Service—First in Value-Giving

A Style and Quality Event—With LOW PRICES—

VAN WAGENEN'S

Kingston's "Best-Style, Best-Value" January Clearance

Who is She?. She is The Dominating Influence Back of This Tremendous Annual Stock Reducing Event, Who Will Give You First Hand Information of the Unusual Values Abounding

Introducing Mrs. Thrifty—

A Character Portraying the Timeliness of This Event —and the Extraordinary Savings Offered.

Mrs. Thrifty Arrives To-morrow to take personal charge of this Important Event for the next 10 days

This "Old-Fashioned January Clearance" will be so completely permeated with the character of Mrs. Thrifty and what she stands for, that you will find it advisable and economical to visit the store promptly and often.

a genuine old fashioned stock reduction sale

Unusual Savings—Exceptional Values—Extraordinary Prices Characterize This War-Time Event

Throughout our land the government is urging everyone to be as thrifty as they possibly can. We have decided, therefore, in arranging this event, to do our part in helping the community to practice thriftiness in its truest sense.

This "genuine old-fashioned stock reduction sale" is **DIFFERENT** than any we have ever held before, for **NEVER** have savings been looked forward to with greater eagerness.

And this will be "a genuine old-fashioned stock reduction Sale" in fact as well as in name. So low are prices that it is impossible to allow for any exchanges, phone or mail orders. In other words, you **MUST** come to the store in person just as you would have done fifty years ago.

Our merchandising policy is the sole reason for such widespread reductions. It demanded a general housecleaning before Spring set in—so that the Store may then be fully equipped to meet your every need. Otherwise a stock-reduction sale at this time would seem foolhardy.

We want to emphasize again and again—and we cannot do this too strongly—that every dollar spent now means a substantial saving for the future.

Another good reason for buying now is that there is apt to be a great scarcity of certain goods. Higher prices later, which are certain to prevail, can be avoided by laying in an ample supply **NOW**.

It will pay you over and over again to buy liberally.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"One can't buy Toilet Goods at these low prices

—without the savings counting up to a nice little sum."

We are obliged to place a limit on some kinds, but in most cases you can buy all you need.

12c bottle of Peroxide	9c
12c Mennen's Talcum	9c
10c Stanley's Peroxide Soap	9c
25c Squibbs Talcum	15c
25c Burrell's Tooth Powder	15c
25c Kolynos Tooth Powder	19c
12c Shoe Trees	8c
6 rolls regular 6c Toilet Paper	25c
15c box 20-Mule Borax	10c
15c bottle Ammonia	10c
25c tube Glovine	19c
15c Armour's Bath Tablets	10c
25c bottle of Peroxide	17c
25c Silver Cream Polish	19c
19c Babcock's Corylopsis, Cut Rose or Violet Talcum	15c
50c Palm Olive Face Powder	25c
25c Frivole Talcum	19c
12c Palm Olive Soap	7c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"You might as well save a bit on staple medicines like these"—

75c bottle of Scott's Emulsion	59c
$1.50 bottle of Scott's Emulsion	$1.19
85c Mellen's Food	69c
55c Mellen's Food	45c
$1.35 Maltine with Cod Liver Oil	$1.15
$1.50 Russell's Emulsion	$1.00
50c Sloan's Liniment	45c
$1.00 Wampoles Cod Liver Oil	89c
$1.00 Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	89c
$1.25 Gude's Pepto-Mangan	$1.00
$1.20 Horlick Malted Milk	89c
.60 Horlick Malted Milk	48c
$1.35 Hemaboloids	$1.15
$1.00 Nujol (American Oil)	75c
$1.00 Ovoferrin	89c
$1.00 Paine's Celery Compound	89c
$1.00 Peruna Tonic	89c
.50 Johann Hoff's Extract	35c
$1.00 Nuxated Iron	89c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Rubber Goods Are Cheap at These Sale Prices"—

1.25 Rubber Hot Water Bottle, 2 qt. size, guaranteed	95c
1.39 Fountain Syringe, 2 qt.	95c
75c Ice Bags	49c
75c Face Bags	49c
50c Rubber Gloves	39c

Store Editorial

Patriotism and Thrift go hand in hand these days.

To practice reasonable economy and thrift during this war-time period shows a true spirit of Americanism and common sense.

Eliminate waste and you are spending every dollar wisely. So the first thing to do is to see that you get the truest VALUE for every penny that goes out of the household treasury.

The Van Wagenen policy of "Always 100 per cent value—and a little more if possible"; courteous salespeople eager to help you in your purchases; and the best merchandise that can be obtained—all will help cement old friendships and gain new, satisfied customers, especially during these Thrift days.

You'll enjoy looking through the store with me. And as my opinion of the VALUES. I must confess they are extraordinary. I haven't run across lower prices even in the biggest cities. So be sure to come—I'll be waiting for you.

(Signed.)

Mrs. Thrifty

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"You will come back for more after you have bought these Stockings at 39c."

Yes—and you will come back but the entire lot will probably be sold in a few days. ONLY BLACK AND WHITE. Hundreds of pairs of cotton and Lisle Onyx hosiery, all grouped at this one price.

JANUARY SALE AT 39c

$1.50 TO $2.00 ONYX SILK STOCKINGS AT $1.15

Pure Thread Silk and pure dye; an excellent wearing stocking with cotton garter tops and soles; in all the most wanted shades; many novelty effects; also black and white.

JANUARY SALE AT 1.19

$2.00 EXTRA FINE SILK STOCKINGS $1.69

Pure Thread Silk, of extra fine quality and beautiful lustre; strongly reinforced silk tops and soles in ten smartest shades.

JANUARY SALE AT 1.69

$1.00 WHITE SILK STOCKINGS 85c

Pure Silk; excellent wearing quality with cotton tops and soles; in white only, JANUARY SALE AT 85c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"No one should object to three for the price of two."

3 large 12 cent rolls of "Tommy Tucker" Toilet Paper for.. 25c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

Why make your own sheets when you can buy them at this Sale for less than the price of the Muslin?

MUSLIN SHEETS

JANUARY SALE AT 79c

Just the muslin by the yard now costs over $1.00. These sheets are 72x99 inches with flat center seam.

SEAMLESS SHEETS

January Sale Prices are far below present values of the muslin by the yard. Of Ironclad or Service full bleached muslins, finished with wide hems. Sizes given are before hemming.

	Reg. Price	Sale Price
63x99	$1.15	98c
72x99	1.29	$1.10
81x99	1.39	1.19

STELLA PILLOWSLIPS

Made from a fine, soft finished cotton, with a dainty hemstitched hem; choice of either size—

Size 42x36 inches, JANUARY SALE PRICE 15c

Size 45x36 inches, JANUARY SALE PRICE 15c

"STERLING" PILLOWSLIPS

Splendid quality of muslin, worth by the yard more than you pay for finished case—

Size 42x36 inch. JANUARY SALE PRICE 25c

Size 45x36 inch. JANUARY SALE PRICE 25c

FRUIT OF THE LOOM

A Brand Known to Every Housewife.

Better supply your season wants of these during this sale, as this brand is scarce and the prices have advanced materially since we bought these.

Size 42x36 inch, JANUARY SALE PRICE 29c

Size 45x36 inch, JANUARY SALE PRICE 29c

$1.48 CROCHET BED SPREADS 1.19

Three-quarter or single bed size; bleached white, hemmed ends; good patterns; 100 of these spreads. Limit 2 to a customer, each $1.19

Mrs. Thrifty says—

Yard Goods are sharply reduced—reduced to prices below today's cost of manufacture.

Mrs. Thrifty has searched New York and Poughkeepsie stores to see if she could equal the offerings we have prepared at these prices. But she has NOT succeeded. Our qualities are better and prices are less than any we've been able to match in other stores. SAVINGS ARE YOURS.

EXTRA SPECIAL!

$1.25 ALL WOOL SERGE 89c yd

Genuine all wool serge, every piece guaranteed at less than today's wholesale cost. This sturdy serge will give long wear and is always staple and in demand. Colors are navy, black, garnet, dark green and dark brown.

$1.98 ALL WOOL CREPE POPLIN 1.50

Guaranteed all pure wool, finest dyes and thoroughly steam sponged. We know of no fabric that will give superior wear or which will make a prettier dress or suit. All shades.

ALL WOOL DRESS SERGE 1.50

Extra quality all pure wool, sponged and shrunk, ready for immediate use. Serge such as this is worth at least $2.00 a yard in today's market. A fine range of colors may be had in these serges.

$1.75 GEORGETTE CREPE AT 1.59

Included in this special selling are the most wanted colors, black, white, blue, gray, etc.

75c SCOTCH PLAID SUITINGS 59c

Although these have had a tremendous demand this season, they will be equally as popular during Spring—so say the fashion experts. A large variety of choice patterns; make splendid garments for children.

SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

25 PER CENT OFF WOOL CLOAKINGS

JANUARY SALE ..... 1.87 to 3.37

Our entire stock of 56-inch, plain, fancy, mixed and plaid wool cloakings. All new, handsome and stylish material, correct in style and weight. Regular $2.50 to $4.50.

ALL WOOL TARTAN PLAIDS 1.50

38 inches wide; in rich color combination, including blue and green effects, for which the demand will be great for Spring; every yard is worth today $1.98.

KIDDIE CLOTH

JANUARY SALE PRICE ... 23c

32 inches wide; well known for its good wearing and washing qualities; with woven colored tape stripes in pink, blue and red on white grounds, bought to sell at 29c a yard.

CHALLIE DELAINE

JANUARY SALE PRICE 18c

Yard wide; in cashmere; medium and larger flower designs; choice color printings, suitable for draperies and bed comfortables, regularly 25c a yard.

29c LONGCLOTH AT 19c 19c

Pure white, close, substantial weave; excellent for underwear and infant clothes.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

I'll be surprised if home dressmakers don't take full advantage of such yard goods values.

59c SILK AND COTTON CREPE DE CHINE

JANUARY SALE PRICE ... 48c

Yard wide; plain colors; our standard grade, in stylish shades most wanted.

PERCALES—

JANUARY SALE PRICE ... 19c

New designs, good washing colors on white grounds; block polka dots, figures and broken black and fancy colored stripes.

YARD WIDE LONGCLOTH AT LESS THAN 15c YD.

Longcloth is too well known to need mention its value. 10 yd. pieces $1.48

DRESS GINGHAMS

JANUARY SALE 17c

Our entire line in 1917 styles Bates Seersucker and Ivanhoe Zephyr Ginghams in stripes, checks and plaids, 27 and 32 inches wide, today's value 29c.

DUCKLING FLEECE

Our whole line of pink, blue, red and old rose grounds, with fancy color printings of medium and large floral designs, bought to sell at 19c a yard.

JANUARY SALE PRICE 15c

Crowded Out of To-day's Paper **Sales of** Housewares Rugs, Curtains All Garments

Let Mrs. Thrifty Show You The Way to SAVE

For the Third Liberty Loan, by Economical Purchasing Now

The foresighted, economical and patriotic American housewife will be quick to grasp these opportunities

Mrs. Thrifty Ushers in An Amazing

Sale of New Silks

At Prices to Arrest the Attention of Every Woman Who Knows Real Values . . .

THIS is not a January Clearance of Silks we want to get rid of. **It is a NEW January Sale** of the silks you will be glad to buy later at full prices.

—The sale is made up wholly of silks bought for our **regular** stocks. They were at **regular prices before** this announcement appeared today; they **go back to regular prices** immediately at the close of this sale.

Based on present retail conditions every yard of silk, even at our regular fair prices, is better than market value; these **sale prices** make these good values that much better. The sale includes:

1.50 Satin Messaline
$1.19

A LUSTROUS All-Silk Messaline that will be in as high favor this spring as it is now. Good weight, closely woven, soft and supple, with the feel that means long service. Complete line of street and evening shades; 35 inches.

1.59 Crepe de Chine
$1.28

PURE silk to the last thread—a firmly woven crepe with grace and beauty in every yard. All desirable street and evening shades; 40 inches wide.

Sale of Stylish Fancy Silks

1.59 For 1.98 to 2.50 Plaid, Striped —Taffetas and Messaline

Whether you want a skirt, waist or dress length—choose what you will, then look at the saving. About three yards for the usual price of two.

2.25 Crepe Meteor
$1.59

ALL Silk Meteor. Soft as Crepe, rich as Satin, serviceable as Peau de Soie. The handsomest and one of the most desired silks of the season. Latest street and evening shades. 40 inches wide.

1.59 Chiffon Taffeta
$1.28

EVERY woman who knows our standard Chiffon Taffeta will be glad to buy it in this sale at $1.28. Pure dye and pure silk—a fabric that commends itself. In all the desired street shades, 36 inches.

Standard Black Silks at Sale Prices:

BLACK silks are as sugar to the grocer—ever staple and seldom cut in price. Dressmakers especially will do well to note these lowered prices:

$1.25 Black Messalines, 36 inches, sale price.....98c
$1.75 Black Messalines, 36 inches, sale price $1.45
$2.50 Satin Superior, 36 inches, sale price $1.95
$2.00 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches, sale price $1.59
$2.50 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches, sale price $1.89
$1.59 Crepe de Chine, 40 inches, sale price.....$1.28
$2.00 Crepe de Chine, 40 inches, sale price.....$1.69
$2.25 Crepe Meteor, 40 inches, sale price.....$1.59

"Buy Now And Save"

Mrs Thrifty says—

If you know the condition of the Glove market you will buy an extra pair or two, now while you can save in doing so.

EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT $2.25 MOCHA GLOVES ARE A BIG BARGAIN

At 1.69

EXTRA SPECIAL—$2.25 Fine Mocha Gloves, spear back or Paris Point, soft, pliable skins, all sizes, in gray with self or black embroidery $1.69

BUY THESE AT $1.89
$2.50 Washable Cape Gloves, one-clasp, extra quality Cape Gloves, with Paris Point embroidered backs, P. K. sewn. Fawn, black, tan and gray....

At 1.89

At 1.75

$2.00 Imported French Lambskin Gloves, white glace—our "Edith" one-clasp, soft, pliable quality, beautifully sewn, fancy embroidered backs.
These gloves are perfect fitting and will be appropriate for either street or dress wear. All sizes in white, with two-tone black embroidery.

At 59c

89c Doe Fabric Gloves, white chamois suede wash gloves, two clasp, black or white embroidery.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Cotton Goods at Less"

BEST APRON GINGHAMS
JANUARY SALE PRICE ..17c
In broken plaids and all size checks, value today 22c a yard.

35c COLORED SHIRTINGS AT 25c
Fine Madras with woven-in-color threads. Positively fast colors. Various stripes for men's shirts and women's dresses.

SHIRTING PRINTS
Best Merrimack and American figures, stripes and vine patterns on white grounds, regular 12½c a yard,
JANUARY SALE PRICE ..10c

BEST DRESS PRINTS
In grey, black, navy and blue grounds, with figures and stripes, regularly 15c a yard,
JANUARY SALE PRICE ..12½c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Buy Now of These"

COTTON HUCK TOWELS
Good size; bleached white with neat red borders; hemmed ends.
SALE PRICED 12½c

LINEN CRASH
17 inches wide, regularly 15c yard,
SALE PRICED ..12½c

LINEN CRASH
Absorbent; 21 inches wide; substantial, good wearing quality; regularly 35c yard,
SALE PRICED ..25c

TURKISH TOWELS
Soft and absorbent, good size and weight; bleached white with hemmed ends. Limit one dozen to a customer,
SALE PRICED ..15c

BATH TOWELS
Bleached; large size; extra heavy weight; plain white or fancy; regularly 39c each,
PRICED SALE ..29c

FINE HUCK TOWELS
SALE PRICED ..39c

$2.00 CROCHET SPREADS $1.48
Hemmed, good quality, firmly woven; in double and extra large bed sizes. Regular value $2.00.
JANUARY SALE PRICE 1.48
Regular value $2.75,
JANUARY SALE PRICE 1.98

DAMASK SPREADS $2.48
White Satin Damask in beautiful patterns, will wear well; hemmed; regular $3.50 each.
JANUARY SALE PRICE 2.98
Scalloped, regular $6.00 each,
JANUARY SALE PRICE 4.98

Mrs. Thrifty says—

Don't make your own Sheets when you can buy these for less than the muslin itself is worth.

January Sale—81x90 Seamless Sheets 1.19

These bleached sheets are sold already in many stores for $1.50. January Sale Price here is only $1.19. One of the best bargains in months. Heed this supreme savings opportunity.

Muslin by the yard necessary to make this sheet costs today $1.48 for material alone

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"You can save on the children's needs as well as your own, by buying now."

GIRLS' $1.00 UNION SUITS, SPECIAL 89c
Misses' and children's heavy weight, white Jersey rib cotton Union Suits, with long sleeves; ankle length, drop seats.

GIRLS' $1.75 UNION SUITS, $1.25
Carter's medium weight, part wool Union Suits, with collarette necks, long sleeves; ankle length.

BOYS' FLEECED UNION SUITS—SPECIAL $1.00.
Boys' Medium Weight Gray Rib Cotton Fleeced Union Suits, collarette neck, long sleeves; ankle length, closed crotch.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Do not be without a Muff these very cold days—when Muffs are so easy to make."

MUFF BEDS

Down and floss filled muff beds lined with sateen and made up in the preferred round and pillow shapes. Very easy to cover—you can shir your fabric or put it on smoothly, finishing the sides with frills.
Floss-filled, sateen lined muff beds, with cord 79c
Floss-filled muff beds, lined with satin, with ruffles..$1.19

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Think seriously about your Blanket Supply—both Cotton and Wool."

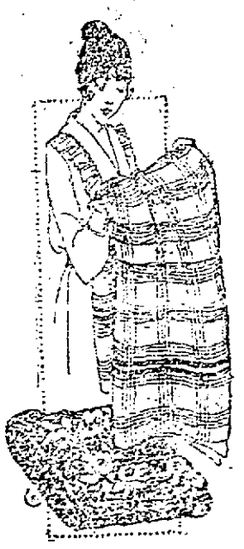
We Can Get No More to Sell at These Prices.

Blankets and comfort prices have advanced terrifically within the past four months—on some grades as high as 60 per cent—on few grades less than 30 per cent. Items listed here are based on our early 1917 purchases; no more present prices when these are gone.

At each price is a quality that cannot be purchased today at wholesale for anything like these January Sale Prices. It is hardly necessary to go into detail about "our blanket values"—they are known far and wide—Once a customer for Blankets always a customer—that is a well known slogan here.

Wool Nap Plaid Blankets at - 3.98

To-day's *wholesale* price of this identical Blanket is $4.25.
Choice of pink, blue or gray plaids. You'll pay 5.00 later.



$5.00 WHITE WOOL NAP BLANKETS
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 3.98
Neat colored borders on white grounds; extra large and heavy.

COTTON FLEECE BLANKETS
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 1.50
The size for three-quarter beds—white, tan or grey; wholesale price today is $2.12 in case lots.

NEAR WOOL BLANKETS
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 4.98
Extra heavy wool finish; large size; comes in assortment of plaids. These are worth today $6.00 to $6.50 the pair.

HIGH GRADE WOOL BLANKETS, SILK BOUND
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT ....10. to 25.
—and in every case the saving is from one-third to one-half. No more low sale prices when these are gone.

WOOL FINISH BLANKETS
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 2.98
Double bed size, white or grey; actual value today is $3.75 to $4.00.

ALL WOOL BLANKETS
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 7.98
Some are all wool; some have just enough cotton to help them wear well. White with pink or blue borders; also plaids. Real worth today $10.50 to $11.50 the pair.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Save on Comfortables—But Buy Them. There are more zero nights to come."

$2.69 COMFORTABLES $1.98
Today's lowest wholesale price on these is $2.15 each. Silkoline coverings. Persian and floral designs, cotton filling; full size,
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 1.98

$5.00 BLANKET COMFORTS $3.98
Eiderdown finish, in Jacquard, Indian and plaid effects, worth today $6.00,
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 3.98

$15.00 FINEST SATEEN DOWN FILLED COMFORTABLES.
JANUARY SALE 10.00

$5.00 COMFORTABLES $3.98
Full bed size, silkoline covered, well filled with a good grade of cotton; floral designs; in popular colorings, some with plain contrasting borders.
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 3.98

$10.00 COMFORTABLES $7.45
Large, full size; well filled with sanitary cotton; dotted silk muli covered; dainty floral designs; finished with a wide muli border to match.
JANUARY SALE PRICED AT 7.45

$17.50 SATIN DOWN-FILLED COMFORTABLES
JANUARY SALE PRICE 12.50

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Folks Should Have Plenty to Read These Winter Evenings"

—and everyone can certainly afford to take home at least three or four of these Good Books, at this ridiculously low price.

Almost unbelievable. These books at **29c**

All good titles—recent $1.25 and $1.50 copyrights—elsewhere 60c.
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A MOST UNUSUAL SALE OF WHITE IVORY TOILET ARTICLES 49c

Consisting of Puff Boxes, Hair Receivers, Combs, Trays, Buffers, Shoe Horns, Perfume Bottles, Jewel Boxes, Pin Cushions.

Mrs. Thrifty says—
"If You Want Something Good—Go to VanWagenen's

VANWAGENEN'S

The War-Time Thrift Store

PRO-GERMAN LIE FACTORY IS BUSY

Fresh Batch of Rumors Started for the Purpose of Creating Dissatisfaction and Despondency in America.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Pro-German propagandists, working their usual overtime, have spread a series of most ingenious stories broadcast to counteract as far as possible the effect of President Wilson's declaration of war aims. These fabrications are for the most part half truth. They are designed officials said today, to bring war weariness to the United States before its troops have really entered the lists.

From the highest official sources the International News Service today is permitted to tell as much of the whole truth as is needed to show the utter absurdity of the various stories.

The latest batch of German fabricated propaganda included the following statements:

That it is necessary for the United States to stop all overseas troop movements because of the extremely critical food situation abroad necessitating use of all cargo ships for foodstuffs.

That all movements of munitions overseas has had to be halted because of the present state of affairs.

That the German U-boats were concentrating their efforts on the larger cargo vessels and that many more were being sunk that formerly and the truth about these sinkings was withheld.

That the food situation in the Entente countries was worse than in Germany and because of this a compromise peace would be welcomed by the Entente peoples.

That Germany was ready to make peace on "most liberal terms" and would use President Wilson's war aims as a basis for negotiations with the Entente through neutral countries.

Here are the exact facts secured from war, navy, state departments and shipping officials who know them and who point out the absurdity of the "made in Germany" campaign of misrepresentation:

The United States is continuing its overseas movements of troops in accordance with its previously arranged schedule. Already it has "over there" one-third more men than originally was planned to have on foreign service by January 15. This has made it possible to utilize certain transports for supplies for the American expeditionary forces to establish a needed reserve in France. Shipments of military units has not been stopped nor even checked.

There has not been a single munitions shipment held up by reason of foods being substituted. Certain shipments of munitions have been delayed because of railroad congestion and certain freighters have been held at export points because of lack of bunker coal. But there has been no wholesale shifting of cargoes to give foodstuffs the right of way over munitions.

The German U-boats are causing no wholesale sinkings. They have increased their record during the last two weeks because more of them have been at sea. It is confidently expected that the result for the next two weeks will bring the monthly average materially down.

The food situation in the Entente countries is no worse. It shows improvement in France. In England where the laborities made the food supply a distinct issue, steps toward rationing have been taken but only to conserve the supply and not because famine was in sight. The food administrators in France, Great Britain and Italy are appealing to the United States for additional food supplies, simply because Herbert C. Hoover has let them know that he expects to concentrate in this country to release a much greater quantity of every sort of food than had been exported. Repeated statements of food shortage admittedly are "safe shipping dressing" to keep before the consumers of the need and then continue to save more food.

Germany will not make peace in the near future on any but German terms. There is an internal political crisis in Germany at the present time. It is the worst in fact the only one since the beginning of the war. But the military and pan-Germanists are in supreme control. They already have rejected with scorn Pope Benedict's mediation. President Wilson as well as those in Lloyd George. From the Liberal [illegible] a hint appears to neutral [illegible] in declaring [illegible] that nothing as it [illegible] "restoration of stolen [illegible]

FOUR MINUTE MEN TO MAKE SPEECHES

At the Local Theaters in the Interests of the Sale of the Thrift Stamps—Schedule of the Addresses for Four Evenings.

Kingston's Four Minute Men, who have made brief addresses in the various theaters in the city, in the interests of the Red Cross, the Liberty loans, the income tax law, etc., will hold another speaking campaign, this one to be in the interests of the sale of the thrift stamps and war saving certificates.

These stamps and certificates give every person a chance to be a stockholder in Uncle Sam's government. They are a gilt edged investment, offer the purchaser a good rate of interest, and have the wealth of the greatest country in the world as security.

Although the sale of these stamps and certificates in Kingston has been quite brisk, yet people are not buying them in the quantities that they should and there are still many persons here who have not bought any.

Uncle Sam is not begging when he asks you to buy these stamp certificates. He is not asking for something for nothing. It is not only a patriotic duty to buy these stamps, but as has been stated, it is an opportunity to invest in something that is financially safe and is a good business proposition.

Schedule of Addresses.

The schedule of the Four Minute Men follows:

Saturday, January 12.

Kingston Opera House — 8:15, Judge A. T. Clearwater.

Orpheum Theater 7:15, Thomas J. Comerford; 9, George Green.

Auditorium—7:15, Mayor Palmer Canfield, Jr.; 9, Attorney D. G. Adkins.

Monday, January 14.

Kingston Opera House — 7:15, Harry H. Flemming; 9, Judge James Jenkins.

Orpheum Theater—7:15, Attorney Milton O. Auchmoody; 9, Attorney Fred Stephan, Jr.

Auditorium—7:15, County Attorney John W. Eckert; 9, John E. Mahar.

Tuesday, January 15.

Kingston Opera House — 7:15, Mayor Palmer Canfield, Jr.; 8, Attorney Milton O. Auchmoody.

Orpheum Theater—7:15, Attorney Emanuel Metzger; 9, Senator Charles W. Walton.

Auditorium — 7:15, Postmaster William C. DeWitt; 9, Vincent A. Gorman.

Wednesday, January 16.

Kingston Opera House — 7:15, Postmaster William C. DeWitt; 9, Attorney Newton H. Fessenden.

Orpheum Theater—7:15, Clifford Bennett; 9, Judge William D. Brinnier, Jr.

Auditorium—7:15, Ex-Assemblyman Andrew J. Cook; 9, Elva H. Bogart.

Not Sticky Kind.

It wouldn't be a difficult matter to convince the average man that greenbacks are printed on fly-paper.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

OVER THE RIVER IN AN AUTOMOBILE

Autos Have Succeeded Sleighs in Crossing River to Rhinecliff—Shipyards Are All Working—Ice Harvesting in Progress.

Since the ferry Transport stopped making trips owing to the heavy ice some time ago, those wishing to cross the river have taken advantage of the sleigh service offered by some local men. Since then the sleighs have been succeeded to a great extent by a number of automobiles which make the trip across and back much quicker. The autos, as well as the sleighs, leave at Tarck's mill on the Strand in Ponckhockie, near the Colonial sands. The best way for uptown residents who want to cross the river is to take the Colonial car to Ponckhockie. The charge for passengers is placed at a quarter.

Since the cold wave has been broken all of the local shipyard have resumed work with full force of men, and all of the yards are active. There will be a number of boats completed and ready to go down with the first tow when navigation opens.

Ice harvesting along the Hudson river in this vicinity is progressing, and every indication points to the fact that every ice house will be filled to capacity. The ice is 15 inches thick.

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Quassia with other valuable ingredients as are contained in Heneph's Stomach Tablets tones up the Stomach and helps digest your food. Proper digested food makes pure blood. Good rich pure blood makes the worth living.

Blue Flag, one of the ingredients in Heneph's Blue Flag Laxative Tablets compounded with other valuable ingredients cleanses your system, aids in preventing appendicitis and tones up the liver. A pleasant cathartic, ingredients contained printed on each package. Buy a package of the tablets, if not entirely satisfied your money will be refunded.

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If you present this coupon to any of the below named druggists, they will give you one 25c package free with each 25c package you buy, your choice of the four.

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MC BRIDE DRUG STORES, Inc., 634 Broadway and 219 Wall Street.
KINGSTON CENTRAL PHARMACY, 572 Broadway.
MABEN & WALKER, 492 Broadway.
LONGARTZ PHARMACY, 358 Broadway.
BENJ. W. JOHNSTON, 26 East Strand.

PLANS TO SIMPLIFY SOLDIER VOTING

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, Jan. 11.—Already there is talk of amending the system of taking the soldier vote. Although the system through which the votes of over 50,000 New York voters were recorded in the field, worked out remarkably well, certain difficulties arose in various districts and the legislators from these districts all have a remedy.

One of the first amendments suggested is that introduced by Assemblyman Lord of Chenango. It would amend section 504 of the Election Law by requiring envelopes for official war ballots to show the voter's election district number and ward number in addition to present requirements.

This amendment is suggested because slight confusion was caused following the election by inability to locate the voter by his district. As a matter of fact there were voters who were uncertain about their own residence one or two cases arising in which they gave wrong designations as their residence.

It is not expected that this amendment will get far as it would hardly serve any good purpose and would serve to complicate matters slightly.

However, there will be amendments to the election law which will serve to simplify the soldier ballot system. One amendment which is expected to secure considerable support would require nominations to be reported at least a month prior to election. This may even be made six weeks. Last fall the greatest difficulty was experienced in getting the ballots ready for shipment abroad because of the lateness of nominations.

Another amendment will in all probability permit the soldier ballot to be made as small as possible. Shipping facilities demand that space be conserved in every manner possible and the prospects that a large number of men will be abroad adds weight to the argument of those who will propose this improvement in the law.

It would not be surprising if an effort is made to do away with the section requiring a registry of the soldier voters to be prepared prior to election. This requires a great deal of work and expense and to a large extent the effort put forth is nullified by the frequent transfer of men from one camp to another and from this country to France. It is impossible, of course, for the Federal authorities to keep the state officials informed of transfers. In place of the registry, it is sugested that lists of the number of voters be obtained from the Federal officers and that the ballot be prepared with blanks where the district candidates may be written in. A list of nominations would then permit a voter from any section of the state to make his selection and at the same time greatly simplify matters.

It is probable that the provision requiring that there must be ten voters in a unit before an election can be held will be stricken out. This only operates to prevent voters on outpost or detached duty from voting.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Observation more than books, experience rather than persons, are the prize educators.—A. Bronson Alcott.

WHAT SHALL WE HAVE FOR BREAKFAST?

To most housekeepers the first meal of the day presents the most perplexing problems. The going without breakfast has much to recommend it, it saves trouble, saves food, and often saves a few more minutes in bed, which few of us need. As the breakfast habit is fairly well established in most homes it behooves us to start the family shoogly on its way well fed and happy. The average American breakfast is a simple one, which is sensible, as few people are hungry in the morning and a hearty breakfast is unwise. It is better far to partake of a meal that has not overtaxed the cook to prepare or the individual to digest. "No dinner however beautifully cooked and served, no fine raiment however costly and becoming, can ever atone, in the memory of man, for the wild and untamed morning which so often prevails in the American household," says Olive Green. The right kind of breakfast begins the day before as all good meals do.

Corn meal mush fried in a little fat is going to be very popular among our patriotic families, it is most nourishing, and will take the place of bread in a large measure. By adding chopped meat to the mush before molding it to cut in slices, it becomes still more valuable as food.

There is no reason that the morning meal should not be varied in its menu, as there are countless ways of serving the common things in uncommon ways. A hot bread will take the place of the toast, waffles and griddle cakes are digested by the active child as well as the older person, but are not wholesome for those who take little exercise. When one feels sluggish and stupid an hour or two after eating breakfast it is advisable to eliminate the offending food. There are those who insist upon meat and potatoes for breakfast, and if the family are active enough to digest such food well, there should be no reason to change the habit, although we all know that meat once a day is plenty for health, and we will be richer in purse as well as health to eat less of the more expensive protein foods.

Nellie Maxwell

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks wish to express their sincere thanks to each and everyone who was so kind through our recent illness and also to all for kindness and sympathy shown and for the beautiful floral offerings sent when we lost our beloved son and brother.

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Christian's Superlative, 24½ lb. sack, $1.70
NuBrand Coffee, lb. - - - - 20
Graham or Rye Flour, lb. - - - 6½
Fancy Grape Fruit, 5 for - - - 25
Fancy Florida Oranges, Doz. - 35-40
Campbell's Soups, All kinds, can - 11

CANNED GOODS BARGAINS.

Corn, Maine style, fine quality, 2 cans 25c
Peas, tender Early June, 2 cans, 25c
Tomatoes, fine solid meat, No. 2 size, 2 cans 25c
String Beans, fine quality, Green or Wax, can 14c
Tomatoes, excellent quality, large No. 3 can 18c
Pumpkin, can 14c
Marrow Squash, extra fancy quality, large can 17c

PREPARED FLOUR.

Sure Rising Buckwheat, pkg. 12½-19-32c
Aunt Jemima, Teco, Hecker's, Flap Jack, Gold Medal, etc., 2 pkgs. 25c
New Buckwheat Flour 6½c
Entire Wheat Flour, 5 lb pkg, 45c

COCOA, CHOCOLATE.

Rose's Pure Breakfast Cocoa, ½ lb can, special 15c
Bulk Cocoa, lb 20c
Hershey Pure Cocoa, fine grade, ½ lb can 17c
Walter Baker's Premium Chocolate, ½ lb 18c
Walter Baker's Co. Cocoa, ½ lb can, 20c

SOAPS.

Lenox Soap, 10 cakes 47c
Ivory, Star, Babbitt's, P. G. Naphtha or Fels, 10 cakes 58c
Lux, pure soap in flakes, pkg ..11c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, shore, fine fish, lb ..17c
Mackerel, extra fancy, white and fat, weigh about 1¼ lbs. lb 25c
Salt Herring, doz 30c
Tip Top Codfish, shredded, full 6 oz. pkg 10c
Salt Codfish, lb 20c
Fleur De Lis Codfish, wooden box, 27c

BEANS, PEAS, ETC.

N. Y. State White Beans, hand picked, fancy, lb 18c
Dried Lima Beans, California's best, lb 17c
Our Best Rice, lb 10c
Yellow Split Peas, 2 lbs 25c
Pearl Barley, lb 8c
Pearl Tapioca, lb 17c
Rolled Oats, 4 lbs. 25c

CEREALS.

Mother's Oats, pkg 10c
Armour's Oats, pkg 12c
Puffed Wheat or Rice, 2 pkgs ..25c
Purina Bran, pkg 15c
Force, pkg 10c
Quaker Hominy, pkg 12c
Ralston Breakfast Food, pkg ..20c

"Quality Meats"

HOME DRESSED VEAL.

Leg of Veal, whole, lb .....
Loin of Veal, whole, lb .....
Roast Veal, lb 30-3
Stew Veal, lb 24-2
Veal Chops, lb 30-3

HOME DRESSED CHICKENS, lb., 34-3

HOME DRESSED PORK.

Pork Roast, lb 30-3
Pork Chops, lb 30-3
Fresh Shoulders, lb 2
Leg of Pork, whole, lb 3
Home Made Headcheese, lb 2
Home Made Sausage, lb 3

SPRING LAMB.

Leg of Lamb, lb 3
Roast Lamb, lb 3
Stew Lamb, lb 2

PRIME WESTERN BEEF.

Rib Roast, lb 26-2
Pot Roast, lb 22-24-26-3
Stew Beef, lb 18-2
Chuck Steak, lb 2

SMOKED MEATS.

Skinback Hams, whole, lb 3
California Hams, lb 2
Bacon by Strip, lb 4
Home Made Bologna, lb 2
Home Made Frankfurters, lb 2

HOME RENDERED LARD.

No. 5 Pail, $1.55; No. 3 Pail ...3
New Kraut, qt. 1

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.

Fresh Table Butter, lb 4
Selected Eggs, guaranteed, doz. 4
Fancy Cheese, lb 3
Downey's Delight, lb 3
Downey's Nut Oleo, lb 3
Leiderkranz Cheese, pkg. 2
Pimento or Snappy Cheese, pkg. 1
Phila. Cream Cheese, pkg. 1
Chili Cheese, pkg. 1
Neufchatel Cheese, pkg. .....
Imported Swiss Cheese, large can 6
Camembet Cheese, large can. ..5
Crisco, can 30-45-5
Wesson Oil, can 35-5

SYRUP HONEY.

Domino Syrup, 15c size 1
Karo Syrup, can 1
Karo Syrup, white, can 1
Karo Syrup, maple, can 1
Strained Honey, bot. 15-25-2

CATSUP.

Blue Label, bot. 1
Ritter's, bot. 1

EXTRACTS.

Rose's Pure Lemon or Vanilla, 2 size 1
Royal Brand Sub. Vanilla or Lemo bot 1

Fruits and Vegetables

Large Grape Fruit, 1 for.....25c
Juicy Oranges, doz 23c
Fancy Baldwin Apples, peck 40c
Bananas, ripe, doz 30c
Cranberries, qt. 12c
Large Lemons, doz. 30c
Spanish Onions, lb 5c
Fresh Celery Hearts, bunch 1
Home Grown Lettuce, head .....
Fancy Sweets, qt. 1
Carrots or Beets, 4 qts 1
Red Onions, 4 qts. 2
White Onions, 2 qts. 1
Potatoes, peck 25-4

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Live Oak Buckwheat ...25c pkg	Light House Cleanser, Kirkman's Cleanser, Babbitt's Cleanser ... 5c
Gold Medal Buckwheat ...14c pkg	100 Clothes Pins ...15c
Peroxide ...9c bot.	Royal Oleo ...29c
Karo Syrup ...14c can	Downey's Delight Oleo ...34c
Davis's Baking Powder ...17c lb	Gold Coin Oleo ...35c
Princine Baking Powder 10c can	Baked Beans ...15c
Lima Beans ...16c lb	Catsup ...12c bot.
Green Peas ...14c lb	Windsor Sauce ...10c
Magic Yeast ...4c pkg	Mustard ...5c
Full Milk Cheese ...32c lb	Sardines ...7c
Fancy Peas ...14c can	Fancy Corn, 2 cans ...25c
No. 2 Tomatoes ...14c can	

WEEK END MEAT SPECIALS

Prime Rib Roast - 24c | BEST CUT SIRLOIN STEAK lb. 30c | LEG OF PORK whole lb. 30c

Fine Stew Beef ...18c	DUTCHESS COUNTY PORK.
Fine Pot Roast ...24c	Stew Pork ...30c
Round Steak ...30c	Roast Pork ...32c
Fine Corned Beef ...18c	Pork Chops ...32c
LAMB.	Salt Pork ...32c
Stew Lamb ...22c	Fresh Made Liver Sausage ...20c
Roast Lamb ...30c	Fresh Made Headcheese ...22c
Leg of Lamb ...28c	Fresh Made Pork Sausage ...32c
Lamb Chops, large...32c	Fresh Made Metwurst ...28c
	Smoked Liver Sausage ...25c

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PRIME WESTERN BEEF ONLY.	SMOKED MEATS.
Porterhouse Steak, lb ...25c	Cal. Hams, lb ...25c
Sirloin Steak, lb ...25c	Reg. Hams, lb ...31c
Round Steak, lb ...25c	Minced Ham, lb ...25c
Prime Rib Roast, lb ...22c	Frankfurters, lb ...26c
Pot Roast, lb ...22-24c	Headcheese, lb ...22c
Stew Beef, lb ...15-16c	Beef Liver, lb ...16c
Chuck Steak, lb ...24c	OTHER SPECIALS.
Best Hamburg Steak, lb ...25c	Plate Corned Beef, lb ...14c
GENUINE SPRING LAMB.	Home Dressed Chicken, lb ...35c
Leg Lamb, lb ...30c	Best Tomatoes, 2 lb tin ...16c
Lamb Chops, lb ...28c	Best Peas, tin ...12c
Loin or Rib Chop, lb ...32c	Best Corn, tin ...13c
Stew Lamb, lb ...23-25c	Sure Rising Buckwheat, 2 pkgs, 25c
HOME PORK.	Karo Syrup, 2 cans ...25c
Leg Pork, whole, lb ...28c	Ashokan Oleomargarine, lb ...32c
Pork Chops, lb ...30-32c	Onions, 2 lbs ...15c
Pork to Roast, lb ...28c	4 lb Sack Salt ...5c
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Pork to Roast ...32c lb	Stew Lamb ...22c lb
Pork Chops ...32c lb	Lamb Chops ...32-35c lb
Home Made Pork Sausage, 32c lb	Veal Cutlets ...30c lb
Prime Rib Roast ...24-26c lb	Veal Chops ...25c lb
Fancy Pot Roast ...26c lb	Stew Veal ...20c lb
Stew Beef ...18c lb	Roast Veal ...26c lb
Top Round Steak ...32c lb	Thompson's Regular Hams 32c lb
Fresh Cut Hamburgh Steak 26c lb	Home Made Bologna, Frankfurters, Headcheese and Liverwurst.

Best Creamery Butter, lb... 49c | Fancy Process Butter, lb... 47c | Fancy Oranges Large 35c doz.

New English Walnuts ...25c lb	Compound ...26c lb
New Brazil Nuts ...20c lb	Fancy Eggs ...48c doz
Raisins ...14c pkg	24½ lb Bag Hendrick Hudson Flour ...$1.60
Candied Citron ...32c lb	24½ lb bag Osota Flour ...$1.65
Orange and Lemon Peels 25c lb	24½ lb bag Gold Mine Flour...$1.65
Davis's Baking Powder ...17c lb	10 lb New Buckwheat Flour 75c
Cleveland's Baking Powder 45c lb	Dill Pickles ...15c doz
Premier Salad Dressing 35c bot.	Sure Rising Prepared Buckwheat 14-22-33c pkg
Pure Lard ...32c lb	

SAVE GAS AND ELECTRIC CURRENT

The Public Service Commission, Second District, through Chairman Van Santvoord has requested all electric and gas corporations to cooperate in fuel conservation. The state commission at the request of the fuel administration, has, given careful consideration to the problem of fuel saving as it relates to public utility service. The commission presents these suggestions to all consumers of electricity and gas.

Gas

Do not use open-flame lights. Mantle burners will give the same amount of light with 60 per cent less gas and (including cost of mantles) will cost less. You can combine patriotism and personal profit by putting mantles on every light which is used to any extent.

Turn off burners when not actually needed. The oportunity for saving is greatest in the use of gas stoves and water heaters. Use no more heat than necessary. Remember that water can not be raised above the boiling point no matter how hot the fire. Potatoes will cook just as fast in water which is barely boiling as in water which is boiling fiercely. If the time each burner is used can be reduced a few minutes each meal, it will easily result in a saving of 10 percent; and if the rate of burning is also reduced, still greater economy can be effected.

Have devices properly adjusted. Burners should be clean and adjusted to use the proper amount of air. If you are in doubt as to the adjustment get some one who knows to look them over.

Electricity.

Do not use carbon lamps. Mazda lamps will give the same light with one third the current. You can not afford to use carbon lamps, even if they are given to you, unless for some location where the light is very little used.

Turn off lights when not actually needed. Use other devices with judgment and economy.

Help save electricity everywhere. Co-operate in every movement for cutting down its use in non-essentials. Every kilowatt-hour which you can save can be used in some factory which would otherwise have to burn coal or shut down. It is better that we should do without display signs, ornamental lighting, and similar things for a time than that the output of clothing, equipment, and munitions for our forces and necessities for our homes should be restricted.

MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

In the surrogate's court the will of Mary Smith of Ellenville has been admitted to probate by Surrogate Gill. To her niece, Edith L. Smith, of Providence, R. I., the testatrix bequeaths her diamond and platinum pendant and chain and other personal belongings; to her niece, Clarice Smith Sharp of Livingston Manor, her piano and gold bracelet; to her niece, Hazel P. Smith, of Livingston Manor, a gold watch and chain, gold pendant and chain, opal ring and furniture; to her brothers, William Smith of Livingston Manor and Clarence Smith of Haverstraw, oil paintings; to her sister-in-law, Mrs. LeGrand Smith, of Middletown, an oil painting; to Mrs. Guernsey E. Webb of Ellenville, an oil painting; to Charles J. Webb of Ellenville, the millinery business in the Corbin block, Ellenville, together with all stock and fixtures. The balance of the estate is given to Edith L. Smith of Providence, R. I., and she and Charles J. Webb are appointed executors. The will was executed January 15, 1916, and witnessed by Cleon B. Murray and Alice D. Wilklow. The value of the estate is $1,500 personal property. Cleon B. Murray appeared for the executors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Hiram A. Enderly of the town of Gardiner were issued to his son, Lester Enderly. The value of the estate is $350 personal property. Virgil B. Van Wagoner appeared for the administrator.

Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah H. Coddington of the town of Rosendale were issued to her son, Ezra H. Coddington. The value of the real estate is $500 and the personal property amounts to $85. Cleon B. Murray appeared for the administrator.

A hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the accounts of Frank W. Loerzel as executor of the estate of Mary Ann Davey of the town of Saugerties and a decree was granted. George F. Kaufman appeared for the executor.

On Second Thought.

David, who overdraws on his imagination, especially when with other children, was playing with Robert, who was visiting here from a small town. David was telling him that his mother knew of a building in Robert's town that was 999 feet tall. Robert said he would run and ask his mother if she knew the building, and David quickly spoke up: "Wait a minute, wait a minute; maybe it was only ninety feet tall."

A Wise Fish.

When a fish, a tiny creature that prefers a home close to shore, gets a desire to rove away from home, he gives his tail a lazy little wiggle and says: "Why swim, when I can ride?" So he fastens himself to a piece of floating seaweed or driftwood and rides away, sometimes far out to sea. He's a member of a very large family of various sizes, shapes and homes. He's called the blenny.

An Oversight.

Harold was out walking with his mother when they passed a legless man. "Goodness, mamma, did God let that man out of heaven without his legs?" he asked.

Swindled.

De Speed (after the spill)—"The agent lied to me about this car. He said: 'There was a car that would knock my eye out,' and it only knocked six teeth out."

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U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION HINTS IN HOME ECONOMICS.

Cooking with honey and syrups instead of with sugar is becoming popular with patriotic housewives. The following are two recipes of this kind that are recommended by the U. S. Food Administration.

Baked Honey Custard With Raisin Cakes.

Beat three eggs slightly, taking care not to make them foamy. Add slowly ½ cup of honey, 2 cups scalded milk, ⅛ teaspoon powdered cinnamon and ¼ teaspoon of salt. Bake in cups set in a pan of water.

Indian Pudding.

4 cups milk; ½ cup cornmeal; 1-3 cup molasses; ¾ teaspoon salt; ¾ teaspoon ginger.

Cook the milk and meal in a double boiler 20 minutes; add the molasses, salt and ginger. Pour into a greased pudding dish and bake two hours in a slow oven. Serve with top milk.

Fudge For French Orphans.

"I haven't eaten any candy for a long time", sighed the first women.

"Nor I", echoed the second women.

"Well, I haven't had very much either," said the third women, "but the other day I went to that bazzar given for the little French orphans and they had some delicious chocolate fudge on sale, I thought that was buying it in a good cause anyway, so I got two pounds."

Can you see the irony of it? Selling candy to obtain money for the French orphans when they need FOOD—bread and sugar—the sugar of which that chocolate fudge was made.

There are plenty of candies which may be sold at church bazaars without taking food from those who need it. Sell anything made with dates or raisins or nuts, with corn syrup, maple syrup or maple sugar, molasses, sorgum syrup or honey, sell popcorn balls, fruit butter, molasses candy, crystallized fruits, chocolate dipped nuts.

These things are just as palatable and just as wholesome, and they may be eaten and sold with a clear conscience.

Hotels vs. Housewives.

"My trip East proved one thing to me and that is, that the hotels and public eating places are doing more systematic food saving than we housekeepers are accomplishing."

She had come from the Middle West and it was her first visit to the Eastern cities.

"Why I was astounded," she continued, "to find such patriotic cooperation in every hotel we were in. And from travelers who had been out through the west," she went on. "I learned that the same thing is true in all the big hotels clear to the coast. You see, I have never known much about hotel life. I've never traveled, to speak of, and when I go to the city to shop it is only for the day and I have no occasion to stay at a hotel. But I have been helping in this food-saving campaign at home and I feel like going back and starting a regular crusade among the housewives to urge a more definite and systematic program."

And she was right. The reason the saving in hotels and public eating places stands out in such amazing figures is not only because these places are dealing in such quantities of foodstuffs but because they have set for themselves definite programs for the definite saving of definite foods. That is the real secret.

The housewife, on the contrary, has too often begun her saving in a desultory way.

"Let's cut down on this or let's do without that," she says to her family and to her cook, but the food continues to come to the table and it continues to be eaten.

That "the spirit is willing but the flesh in weak" is too often true in food saving. If meat is served every day in the week, it will be eaten; and if white bread is put on the table in unrestricted abundance, it will be used accordingly.

But the hotels have managed differently. They have agreed on certain days to give up meat and wheat and these foods are simply not to be obtained on those days. Hotels, guests and diners out have accepted this situation as a matter of course. They merely take a second look at their menu card and smilingly order a substitute, even though they have been thinking of that "filet mignon" for hours. If they are reminded by the waiter that it is "Meatless Tuesday," they cheerfully change their order to braised chicken and go away from the table with their hunger satisfied and their hearts stirred with the satisfying thought of a patriotic duty performed.

Do not say "Let's have a meatless day some day in the week" and then have one some weeks and none another. Rather say "Let's have Tuesday for a meatless day in our home," and then see that no meat is brought into the dining room on that day. The same amount of food value can be furnished in other things.

A certain wholesale house that sells both to hotels and to butchers reports that the former has a 30 per cent decrease in their Tuesday orders while the retail trades and homes show only 12½ decrease. It is time every housewife was following the example set her by the hotels and public eating places and having definite "meatless" and "wheatless" days in her menage.

New friends are waiting to be entertained at your tables. "Cornmeal," "Oatmeal," and "Buckwheat" have been content to "fill in" in the east, but now they are demanding recognition of their social status. The United States Food Administration stands as sponsor and urges that you put these names upon your food friend list.

Wheat Saving Breads for Breakfast.

Cereal Muffins.

1½ cups flour; 4 teaspoons baking powder; ½ teaspoon salt; 1 cup cooked oatmeal; ½ cup milk; 1 egg; 1 tablespoon vegetable oil.

Sift together the dry ingredients. Add the milk, beaten egg and melted fat to the cooked oatmeal. Beat in thoroughly. Finally add the sifted dry ingredients. Mix well. Bake in greased muffin pans about 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Other cooked cereals, mashed potatoes or squash may be used in this recipe. If the dough is too soft add a little more flour.

Spoon Bread.

2 cups water; 1 cup skim milk; 1 cup cornmeal; 1 tablespoon fat; 2 eggs; 2 teaspoons salt.

Mix water and cornmeal and bring to the boiling point and cook five minutes. Beat eggs well and add with the other ingredients to the mush. Beat well and bake in a well-greased pan for 25 minutes in a hot oven. Serve from the same dish with a spoon. This recipe makes enough for six.

Buckwheat Muffins.

2 cups buckwheat; 4 teaspoons baking powder; [illegible] teaspoon salt; 1¾ cups milk; 1 egg; 1 tablespoon melted shortening; 2 tablespoons molasses.

Sift together the dry ingredients. Combine the milk, beaten egg, melted fat and molasses. Add the liquid to the dry ingredients. Mix well and bake 25 to 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven.

Rye flour or 1 cup of barley meal and 1 cup of wheat flour may be used in this recipe if the liquid is reduced to 1 to 1¼ cups.

Curious Walking Feat.

The most curious walking feat in Scotland dates back to a former century, when Sir Andrew Leith Hay and Lord Kennedy did a great walk for a bet of £2,500. Hay said he could walk from Blair hall in Kincardineshire to Inverness in less time than Kennedy.

They started off that very night at nine o'clock, in their evening clothes, with their shoes and silk stockings. Sir Andrew took the coach road via Huntly and Elgin. Lord Kennedy, with Captain Ross as umpire, went straight across the Grampians in pouring rain. They walked all that night, all next day, and the following night, and Lord Kennedy got to Inverness at six o'clock in the morning of the third day, and won his bet by four hours.

EX-KING AND QUEEN OF PORTUGAL.

EX-QUEEN OF PORTUGAL BARRED FROM BRITISH WAR HOSPITAL.

Augustine Victoria, consort of the dethroned monarch of Portugal, King Manuel, has been barred from visiting various war hospitals in England. She is a Hohenzollern by birth, her father, Prince William of Hohenzollern, particularly distinguished himself by expressions of hatred of everything English. Her brother was an officer on the German raider Emden and is now a prisoner in an English camp. The photo is a recent one of ex-King Manuel and the ex-Queen Augustine Victoria.

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Stew Beef, lb. ...20c	Onions, white or red, 2 qts...15c
Pot Roast, lb. ...22c up	Rutabaga Turnips, lb...2½c
Chuck Steak, lb. ...24c	Popular Blend Coffee, steel cut, lb. ...21c
Leg of Pork, whole, lb. ...30c	Best Teas, Japan Oolong, Uncolored Japan, Young Hyson, lb...50c
Pork Chops, whole, lb. ...30-32c	White Rose Tea, pkg. ...10c
Roast Pork, lb. ...32c	Carmelo Tea, Indian Ceylon, ¼ lb. 13c; ½ lb. ...25c
Leg Spring Lamb, lb. ...34c	Mueller's Macaroni, pkg. ...10c
Stew Lamb, lb. ...22c	Spaghetti, Noodles, pkg...10c
Home Made Frankfurters, lb...27c	None-Such Mince Meat, pkg...10c
Superior Pork Sausage, lb. ...35c	Can Pumpkin, large can ...14c
Superior Casing Sausage, lb...36c	Evaporated Peaches, lb. ...18c
Superior Head Cheese, lb. ...22c	Lemon or Orange Peel, lb. ...20c
Superior Home Made Bologna, lb..23c	Pennsylvania Buckwheat, 2 lb. pkg., ...17c
Superior Home Liverwurst, lb...22c	Flap Jack, pkg. ...12c
Minced Ham, lb. ...28c	Lennox Soap, Kirkman's Soap, White Soap, Old Dutch Hand Soap, Satin Gloss Soap, My Lady, Lilac Rose, Glycerine, Lava, Fairbanks, Tar Soap, cake ...5c
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VEST IS FEATURE

Seen in Smart Dresses, Indicating Style Trend for Spring.

Advance Models Show Straight-Line Simplicity Is Likely to Be Keynote of Next Season's Apparel.

Clever little vests are features of a great many of the smartest dresses now shown, especially the latest numbers that indicate to some extent the style trend for spring. It is interesting also to note that advance spring models that have as yet made their appearance lean strongly to straight-line effects. Some sort of belt or girdle is often noted; but the underline is more lightly indicated; not defined, and straight-line simplicity promises to be the keynote of next season's apparel.

The sketch illustrates a good-looking little utility dress that might be developed now and worn throughout the winter and coming spring. With navy blue serge as the fabric for the dress proper, white satin or white broadcloth may be used for the vest and girdle, with narrow black soutache braid criss-crossing the girdle. The wide girdle ends only across the front of the dress, two and a half inch wide bands of the fabric, braided to

One-Piece Frock With Vest.

match the front, continuing around the back of the bodice.

The long shoulder is a feature of this frock, and, as will be noted, the sleeves are long and close-fitting.

The little one-piece slipover frocks have won what seems to be a permanent place for themselves in the feminine fancy, and their popularity is certain to be extended.

This frock might be attractively developed in velveteen in any preferred dark shade, with trimming of white or light-color satin or faille silk.

A dress of this type may be made by the home dressmaker without much difficulty; but one point that must be borne in mind is that excellent workmanship must be embodied in the development of these very simple garments, if the desired smartness is to be realized.

SIMPLICITY IN NEW MODES

Smart Frock of Today Need Not Be as Costly as That of a Season When Elaborate Trimming Was Used.

There's no denying that the narrow underskirt with long tunic of some kind is more generally becoming than the full flaring skirt ever was; and it is largely owing to this fact that women are, on the whole, looking rather better dressed than usual. The modishness of dark and quiet colors contributes to this happy result and the absence of fussy trimming is still another factor.

The clothes of this season are, even at their costliest, likely to be in accordance with the unwritten laws of good taste and many a woman who has sufficient good taste of her own to like elegant simplicity, will submit to it if it is the mode, says a fashion writer in the New York Sun.

Of course, one can put a great deal of money into the quality of materials, but, despite the high prices of materials the smart frock today need not be so costly as the frock of a season when elaborate trimming that called for the time and effort of skilled labor was the keynote of fashion. Given attractive material and the ability to cut and drape it according to the prevailing mode—one should be able to achieve a successful frock for a very reasonable sum.

Crape Workers.

Women who work in crape factories have a curious contract with their employers. They must promise not to engage in any housekeeping after working hours so that their hands will not become too coarse for the delicate work.

Gold Embroidered Scarf.

A lovely evening scarf is made of black silk net with gold embroidery. The gold threads form an irregular border at each end, consisting of wavy lines of different depths extending all across the width of the scarf.

No Occasion for Worry.

"You should," said the junior member of the law firm, "that we are causing our client unnecessary trouble." "Oh, that's all right," rejoined the senior member; "we'll charge him for it."

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Jerseys, Broadcloths, Serges, Satins, Taffetas, Georgettes, Crepe de Chine and Combinations.

$20.00 Dresses	$15.95
25.00 "	18.95
30.00 "	23.50
35.00 "	27.50
40.00 "	32.50
45.00 "	35.00

REPRESENTATIVE S.C. JOHNSON

CONGRESSMAN ENLISTS AS PRIVATE.

Representative S. C. Johnson, of South Dakota, is the first Congressman to enlist in the service of Uncle Sam as a private. There are several former Congressmen already in the service, but they are commissioned officers. Representative Johnson is shown about to leave for Camp Meade, Maryland, after biading his friends at Washington good bye.

WHY

National Guard Is Being Gradually Eliminated

National Guardsmen now serving in the federal service, will become civilians at the end of the war, says the Indianapolis Star. Because of the drafting of the entire National Guard into federal service, states now have no National Guard. What formerly was the state National Guard has been wiped out of existence.

A number of inquiries as to the status of the Guardsmen brought this information from the war department:

When the National Guard of a state was drafted into federal service every man will be honorably discharged from state service. This means, the war heads say, that all members of the National Guard raised in the state will become civilians when mustered out of federal service.

This is different from what happened when the local troops went to the Mexican border. They were not discharged from state service at that time, and when their period of service on the border ended they returned to their old station as members of the National Guard at home.

The war department has advised the state authorities that they may proceed with the creation of a new National Guard, provided they stay within the law, which limits the Guard to not exceeding 800 members for every representative and each of the senators from the state in congress. When the war with Germany ends the members of the old National Guard, now in the federal service, will not return to their armories and will not replace the regiments that may be raised since they left.

Although the governors of all the states have been notified of the authority conveyed by law to organize new National Guards, not exceeding 800 per representative and senator, the instances where initial steps have been taken to do so are very rare. War department officials and army officers generally frankly admit that the National Guard, as it was before the United States entered war, is being gradually eliminated and no regret is expressed by the regulars, who have always had a prejudice against the Guard.

SHOES INVENTION OF CELT

How Footgear Was Found Necessary to Protect the Feet From Injury.

Nobody knows who was the first shoemaker. There must have been a time when everybody went barefooted, observes a writer, and the first shoes were probably made of woven reeds or skins. The original shoemaker doubtless sought comfort more than style. The Celt, who at times wandered over moor and morass, at others over stony mountains, invented a shoe that suited his purpose.

A sole of heavy hides protected his feet from sharp stones, while uppers or legs of lighter skin protected his ankles and legs from thorns and bushes. The buskin was so constructed that the water exuded from it as soon as the foot ceased to be emersed. In the modern shoe, the idea is that water be kept out, not let out. The Celtic buskin was tough and elastic, and could be replaced wherever there were untanned skins at hand. Every Celt was his own shoemaker. With the Norman conquest came the introduction into the British Isles of tanned leather, which had long been in use in the Roman provinces. Shoes then began to take on style, and the styles have never been duplicated in later days. From close-fitting shoes fashion went to long, pointed toes, which in time, grew so long that they had to be fastened to the wearer's knees.

How Shepherds Know Their Sheep.

From Westmoreland comes an interesting example of the way in which shepherds know their sheep. To them no two sheep are alike, any more than two people, says this Westmoreland correspondent of the English Manchester Guardian. The writer's brother had a number of black-faced sheep near Shap Fell, and one day a shepherd came to him and said: "There's one of your sheep at see a spot—a goodish bit off your heaf, that, oh?" "Are you quite sure it was one of my sheep?" the man was asked. "As sure as sh's which (alive)." And then he went into an elaborate description of the facial peculiarities of the animal, for he knew it by sight as well as he knew its owner. The orthodox markings of the sheep he did not even touch upon, leaving them for final proof, if such were needed.—Christian Science Monitor.

How New Electric Hair-Cutter Operates.

An electrically operated hair-cutter which eliminates the shears has been devised. It consists essentially of a light standard with cross-arms at the top to support a small electric motor connected with the clippers by a flexible cord three or four feet long, says Popular Science Monthly. In cutting long hair the fingers and comb are used in exactly the same manner as with shears. In outlining the hair in front the cutters are turned upside down and the points pressed close to the skin. The hair is cut in a fraction of the time usually required.

How to Clean a Gas Stove.

Put a small quantity of kerosene on an ordinary dish mop with a short handle and polish carefully. The hands are kept clean, the grease removed and the oil will not splatter.

Prosperous but Lonesome.

"A tricky man in business," said Uncle Eben, "is mighty likely to wind up by findin' hisself prosperous but lonesome."

Columbia Record No. 2428.

The greatest Patriotic Record ever recorded. "It's a Long Way to Berlin" "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "Where Do We Go From Here," "Pack Up Your Troubles In Your Old Kit Bag," "For Your Country and My Country," "Good-bye Broadway," "I Don't Know Where I'm Going" and "Over There." Now on sale, 75c. The COLUMBIA SHOP, 273 Fair street.—Advertisement.

RED CROSS RESTAURANT.

ATLANTA RED CROSS OPENS RESTAURANT FOR BOYS IN KHAKI.

The Atlanta Red Cross has opened a restaurant for the benefit of the Uncle Sam's boys who are taking in the city, is serving some of the boys, who appear to be right at home.

SUFFRAGETTES LOBBYING FOR PASSAGE OF AMENDMENT.

These four women, members of the National Woman's Party, are, with hundreds of other suffragists, besieging the offices of congressmen, urging them to support the Federal Suffrage Amendment. A straw vote taken in the House recently gave the impression that the women will be successful in their fight for the enfranchisement of the women of the nation.

Cromwell's Last Words.

Of the great Oliver, who brought Charles I to the scaffold, Thomas Carlyle has written a notable book, and in the fine description of the death scene Cromwell's last words are recorded. When, being restless he was offered something to drink, he said: "It is not my design to drink or sleep, but my design is to make what haste I can to be gone."

The Accordion.

The accordion, the proverbial instrument of rural musicians, was invented by a Viennese, Damian, in 1829.

Apothecaries of Old.

In Biblical times a person whose business it was to compound ointments was called an "apothecary" (Nehemiah 3:8; Ecclesiastes 10:1). The work was sometimes carried on by women "confectionaries." (I Samuel 8:13).

Velocity of Sun.

Professor Ross figures the transcontinental velocity of the sun through space at 14.9 miles per second. He regards the speed formerly obtained by spectroscopic methods, namely, 12.4 miles per second, as subject to systematic error.

Reason for Mosquitoes.

Now, even the most foolish optimist would scarcely venture to claim that the transmission of disease and suffering to humanity is a "beneficial purpose." If the mosquito has a beneficial purpose it can be no other than to serve as a chastening influence upon the lives of men. As fleas exist only to keep dogs from forgetting that they are dogs, so mosquitoes may be designed by nature to induce a proper humility in mankind and also to impress upon the race the tremendous importance of trifles.

Blessings.

There is a blessing on limitation—a blessing proper to the time in which we have to learn. Our present blindness may be only the condition of full sight beyond. So the dragon-fly must spend blind days beneath the water before it can mature bright wings for the sunlit air. Our not-seeing is for education. We do not, if we are wise, trouble the infant class with the higher problems of the school.—Exchange.

(No. 2495.)

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RONDOUT

at Kingston, in the State of New York, at the close of business on December 31, 1917.

Resources.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	$595,344.13	
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	200,000.00	
Total U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds) and certificates of indebtedness	200,000.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent	56,047.00	
Securities other than U. S. bonds, (not including stocks), owned unpledged	119,516.68	
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank, (50 per cent of subscription)	12,000.00	
Value of banking house	25,000.00	
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00	
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	60,912.74	
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	201,709.92	
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 12, 13, and 15	2,512.60	
Checks on other banks in the same city or towns as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	6,318.20	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	4,760.50	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	10,000.00	
Total		$1,705,115.75

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000.00
Surplus fund	200,000.00
Undivided profits	107,528.20
Circulating notes outstanding	249,600.00
Net amounts due to National Banks	4,701.51
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in Items 30 or 31)	105,012.08
Individual deposits subject to check	874,099.49
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	566.58
Certified checks	3,067.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	222.80
Dividends unpaid	10,095.00
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40)	$887,050.87
Total	$1,705,115.75

State of New York, County of Ulster, ss.:

I, L. BEERES, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. BEERES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of January, 1918.

HERMAN T. WOOD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
F. COTTENDALL,
H. H. FLEMMING,
J. T. JOHNSON,
Directors.

(No. 1120.)

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE RONDOUT NATIONAL BANK

at Kingston, in the State of New York, at the close of business on December 31, 1917.

Resources.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	$837,344.44	
Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 35a)	$167,517.53	
Foreign Bills of Exchange or Drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under Item 4 above (see Item 35c)	$167,517.53	
Overdrafts, unsecured		926.28
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	100,000.00	
Total U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds) and certificates of indebtedness	100,000.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent	3,900.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent, pledged to secure U. S. deposits	60,000.00	
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent, pledged to secure State or other deposits or bills payable		63,900.00
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits	114,718.75	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	186,917.31	
Total bonds, securities, etc.		301,635.96
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		9,968.75
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank, (50 per cent of subscription)		5,100.00
Value of banking house	4,000.00	
Equity in banking house		4,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		2,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		60,852.82
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		54,095.15
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)		13,172.20
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		14,680.78
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		5,000.00
Other assets, if any		1,521.80
Total		$1,301,930.72

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000.00
Surplus fund	90,000.00
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	19,105.20
Circulating notes outstanding	100,000.00
Net amounts due to National Banks	87.74
Net amount due to banks, bankers and trust companies (other than included in Items 30 or 31)	85,629.82
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	849,915.07
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	7,601.69
Certified checks	171.11
Dividends unpaid	4,000.00
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40)	$862,287.87
War loan deposit account	$ 26,080.00
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	26,080.00
U. S. bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same	$ 40,000.00
U. S. bonds borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	40,000.00
Total	$1,301,930.72
Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 35a)	$167,517.53
Total contingent liabilities (35 a, b, and c)	$167,517.53

State of New York, County of Ulster, ss.:

I, C. R. O'CONNOR, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. R. O'CONNOR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1918.

WILMER S. NICKERSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
F. A. CANFIELD,
JAMES F. DWYER,
WM. ROACH,

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WM. MCMULLEN, Ellenville, N. Y.
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TO LET.

TO LET.—Offices and apartments. J. DePuy Hasbrouck, 240 Fair St.

TO LET.—House, Pierpont St.; rent $8. Inquire 122 Highland Ave. 'Phone 1944-M.

TO LET.—3 basement rooms; reasonable. 55 Green.

TO LET.—5 room flat and bath, all improvements; hot water and heat. 88 Henry St. 622-M.

TO LET.—6 rooms, modern improvements, Stephan St., $14. 'Phone 1247 or 1466-R.

TO LET.—Two flats, in the Delevan House, one $5 and one $6. Inquire 150 Fair.

TO LET.—Rooms; 136 Prospect St. Apply 142 Clinton Ave.

TO LET.—11 room house, 137 Clinton Ave., suitable for one or two families. 'Phone 1249-W.

TO LET.—3-room flat; St. James St. N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET.—Apartments, 73 Abeel St., 89 Hone St.; house, 55 East Union St. and 219 Delaware Ave. Estate of John N. Cordts.

TO LET.—Small house, modern improvements, nicely located, uptown; February 1. "House," Freeman, Uptown.

TO RENT.—Fruit farm, 30 acres, at Ulster Park; large house, 5,000 grape vines, 2,500 blackberries, pear and cherry orchard, near station. Address A. W. Saner, 1014 Stoothoff Ave., Richmond Hill, L. I.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—House No. 34 Stuyvesant St.—John J. White.

FOR SALE.—Portland sleigh, first class condition. Inquire 15 Downs St.

FOR SALE.—Fine lot of Rhode Island Red, White Wyandottes, Buff and Plymouths, pullets and roosters. Rehder, Chapel St.

FOR SALE.—Young sow, fine condition. J. Thielpape, Hurley.

FOR SALE.—Pair of bobs and cutter. 557 Abeel St.

FOR SALE.—4,000 bushels stone lime. J. A. Hiller, Hurley, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Chickering & Son upright piano; Rosewood case, $100. 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE.—Mahogany [illegible] like new, $175. 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE.—One 40 horse power tubular boiler, tested to carry 100 pounds steam pressure. Inquire at 112 North Front St., Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—Plain white iron bedstead. Call afternoons or evenings. 190 Pine St.

FOR SALE.—2 five-room flats, with water, gas and toilet. 'Phone 647-J. 60 Manor Ave.

FOR SALE.—Parlor organ and stool, delivered, $10. E. Winter's Sons Music Store, Kingston.

FOR SALE.—Newby & Evans upright piano, stool and scarf, delivered, $110. E. Winter's Sons Music Store, Kingston.

FOR SALE.—50 horses, at all times; one pair mules. Basch & Shapiro, 10 Ann St.

FOR SALE.—Cash register; cheap. 535 Broadway.

FOR SALE.—Bait fish; shiners. Inquire chain ferry.

FOR SALE.—Photo supplies, films, plates, cameras, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—112 Hone St.

FURNISHED housekeeping apartment. 'Phone 1117.

ROOM with board. 150 Fair St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.—112 Hone St.

FURNISHED rooms, at reasonable prices. Day or week. 218 Foxhall Ave.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE [illegible] best in city. Harry P. Carr, [illegible]

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Join new classes now forming. Day and evening.

EXPERT piano tuning; $1.50. Marthis, 156 Prospect St. 'Phone 1347-W.

WANTED.

WANTED.—Highest prices paid for old and misfit clothes, at 311 Fair St. 'Phone 1660-W.

WANTED.—Stenographers, by the government. Prepare for civil service positions at Spencer's Business School, day, night.

WANTED.—To buy, second hand kitchen range with water back. 'Phone 1249-W.

WANTED.—2 or 3 rooms for housekeeping, with running water and heat. "A," Uptown Freeman.

WANTED.—BOARD AND ROOM FOR MEN WORKING ON SHIPYARD; [illegible] KINGSTON SHIPBUILDING CORPORATION, [illegible] FERRY ST.

WANTED.—Your magazine subscriptions. Best prices. Any offer of responsible house duplicated. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway. 'Phone 1600.

POSITION WANTED.

[illegible] position in Kingston after [illegible] Leo Braunstein, Rosendale.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Joseph Harris of Stony Point, who has been visiting friends in this city, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shader of Clinton avenue are receiving congratulations over the arrival of an eight pound baby girl.

A. C. Miller has returned to this city, after spending the past week at the automobile show in the Grand Central Palace, New York city.

Eugene R. Cornwell, of The Freeman business office, who recently underwent an operation at the Benedictine Sanitarium, is rapidly improving.

Mrs. J. G. Van Slyke and daughters, Miss Ellen Van Slyke and Mrs. Cleon Owens, together with Mrs. John W. Searing, sailed today for Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Charles W. Forde, formerly connected with the Union Pacific Tea Company of lower Broadway, has accepted a position as manager of the Globe grocery store on North Front street.

Seeking Rooms for Shipyard Men.

In the "want ads" in The Freeman this evening will be found one inserted by the Kingston Shipbuilding Corporation, which is seeking board and rooms for its employes in this city. The concern has a contract to construct four ships for the government and will have a large working force.

Scharfeld, Not Schoenfeld.

The name of Samuel Schonefeld has been previously stated many times in The Freeman, and it is here corrected as Samuel Scharfeld, 353 Washington avenue.

Ice Harvest at West Park.

The Knickerbocker Ice Co. intends to start their ice house at West Park Tuesday of next week.

Scaled Mount Ararat.

Mount Ararat in Armenia is now generally believed to have been the spot where Noah left the ark. Not until 1829 did a mountain climber succeed in scaling its steep assent. Doctor Parrot, an Englishman, achieved that distinction. For centuries the mountain had defied the efforts of mountain climbers, and the Christian ecclesiastics of Armenia asserted, as an article of faith, that Jehovah had made the peak his earthly home, and that no human could possibly reach the top and escape divine vengeance. When Doctor Parrot declared that he had accomplished the ascent the priests refused to believe him and they cling to this attitude of skepticism in spite of the fact that dozens of explorers since have stood on the top of the Greater Ararat and gazed out over Armenia from an altitude of 17,000 feet.

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LOST.

LOST.—Diamond and platinum pendant [illegible] Lindsley Ave. No questions asked.

LOST.—Gold watch, on Boulevard. 'Phone 1141-W. Reward.

LOST.—Prayer book, "Manual of Prayer," about December 29. J. V. Costello, 71 Ann St.

LOST.—On Chambers St., purple velvet hat. Reward if returned to Downtown Freeman.

LOST.—An imported silver cornet, with words "Henry Parsel, Paris," on it, along with case, between Schumann's Hotel, Eddyville, and Baldwin's, Rifton. Finder please return to Fred Schumann, Eddyville. Reward.

LOST.—Evening of Dec. 31, at Cornell Shops, on Strand or in Broadway car, money in pay envelope. Will finder leave at Freeman Office and receive reward.

FOUND.

FOUND.—January 8, near Rifton, musical instrument. Owner can recover same at Oak Grove Farm, "near Rifton," and paying for this advertisment.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—Experienced banders; 30 cents per 1,000. G. W. Van Slyke & Horton.

WANTED.—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Amos Van Etten, 12 W. Chestnut St.

WANTED.—EXPERIENCED SHIRT EXAMINERS; LEARNERS ALSO TAKEN. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

WANTED.—A middle-aged woman to assist housekeeper and do laundry work, in a private home, comfortable room with improvements; good wages to the right party; no children; reference required. Address "E," Downtown Freeman.

WANTED.—Woman to iron by the day; $1.50 per day. Apply to Thomson's Laundry.

WANTED.—Woman for chambermaid. Apply Eagle Hotel.

WANTED.—Experienced woman for general housework. Mrs. A. H. Chambers, 273 Clinton Ave.

WANTED.—High class cook, good wages; must furnish reference. Apply at once. Beekman Arms, Rhinebeck. 'Phone 210.

WANTED.—Woman to do scrubbing, four hours work every day. 294 Wall St.

WANTED.—Cigar packer. Henry J. Hoffman, John St.

WANTED.—OPERATORS: BOTH EXPERIENCED AND UNEXPERIENCED, FOR WORK ON STITCHING MACHINES. WE PAY WELL WHILE LEARNING. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED.—An experienced bookkeeper; must be willing to leave town, state age, etc. Address "Bookkeeper," Uptown Freeman.

WANTED.—Man to work farm on shares; must have team of horses. Farm situated two miles from Kingston. Box 55.

WANTED.—Bell boy. Apply Eagle Hotel.

WANTED.—News boy. E. Winter's Sons, John St.

WANTED.—Boy, as waiter. Work nights. Apply Steward, Kingston Club.

WANTED.—Barber, at United States Hotel, Broadway.

WANTED.—Barber, at W. S. Hotel, Broadway.

WANTED.—BOY OVER SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE. APPLY COLUMBIA SHIRT CO., O'NEIL ST.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 11.—Stocks were in supply at concessions at the opening of the stock market today, prices during the initial dealngs selling down from fractions to over one point. Steel Common was 1¼ lower at 94⅝. Bethlehem Steel B sustained the same loss, selling at 76¾ and fractional declines were noted in the other steel shares. Anaconda sold off ⅞ to 61¾ and Utah declined ⅞ to 80¾. Marine Preferred sold down to 86⅝, a loss of ¾. American Tobacco dropped 2½ points to 162 and American Telephone fell one point to 105. Mexican Petroleum was active and declined 1½ to 84¼. The railroad issues showed fractional losses.

During the first hour U. S. Steel sold down to 93⅞ and Marine Preferred sold down to 86⅝, while Atlantic Gulf fell over 2 points to 99¼. United Cigar Stores after moving up to 95¼ reacted one point. People's Gas moved up 1½ to 44¾.

During the afternoon Steel Common sold down to 93¾, a drop of nearly two points, while Marine Preferred, which sold this morning at 86⅝, rose to 89½ and the Common moved up from 22½ to 23⅞. Anaconda was actively traded in and sold up to 62⅝. American Linseed on large dealings advanced 1¼ to 30⅝.

The market closed weak today; government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds weak.

Quotations given by C. D. Halsey & Co., 15 Broad street, New York city, branch office, Warren building, 260-2 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Allis-Chalmers	19
American Beet Sugar	74½
American Car & Foundry	69
American Can	36⅝
American Cotton Oil	
American Locomotive	55½
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	79
American Sugar	
Anaconda Copper Mining	62
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	
Baldwin Loco	59
Baltimore & Ohio	52½
Bethlehem Steel B.'s, pfd	98⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	
Canadian Pacific	138½
Central Leather	63¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	52¼
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	45⅛
Colorado Fuel & Iron	36
Corn Products	31½
Crucible Steel	53¼
Distillers' Securities	35
Erie	15½
Erie, 1st pfd	
Goodrich Rubber	41⅛
Great Northern, pfd	
Great Northern Ore	27½
Interborough Con.	
Inter. Con. pfd	
Kansas City Southern	
Lehigh Valley	
Maxwell Motor	
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd	
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd	
Mexican Petroleum	84¼
National Lead	
New York Central	70¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	
New York, Ontario & Western	19¼
Norfolk & Western	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	85
Pennsylvania Railroad	46⅞
People's Gas, Chicago	44¾
Pittsburgh Coal	
Pressed Steel Car	61½
Railway Steel Sp'g	50
Reading	73¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	77⅝
Southern Pacific	83½
Southern Railway	23¼
Southern Railway, pfd	
Studebaker	50⅜
Union Pacific	113¾
U. S. Steel	93⅝
U. S. Steel, pfd	109
U. S. Rubber	53½
Utah Copper	80
Virginia Car. Chem	37⅞
Westinghouse Electric	40¾

Origin of Pig, Buffalo, Horse.

Asia mainly furnished the pig, remarkable by its archaic type, which is very close to the Sus palustris, notes a writer. Through Turkestan arrived the buffalo, which adapted its body from its surroundings—becoming smaller and more alert. The Caucasus also owes the horse to Turkestan; we find neolithic remnants of the domesticated horse at Anau, while the animal is not found in Creta before the bronze age.

Child Not Unlike Adult.

The child in its disposition is not unlike an adult. Normally, both are happy and contented as long as they are feeling well, and the healthier they are the more responsive is their disposition. But if the head is dull and the brain is sluggish and the muscles have a tired feeling from a poor digestion, then both the adult and the child become irritable and quick tempered, doing only those things which one wishes to do, unresponsive and discontented.

"Over There."

Columbia Record 75c at the COLUMBIA SHOP, 273 Fair street.—Advertisement.

DIED.

In Memoriam.

To the memory of Cornelius R. Hicks.

AWAY.

I cannot say, and I will not say
That he is dead—He is just away.
With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand.
He has wandered into an unknown land,
And he left us dreaming, how very fair.
It needs must be, since he lingers there.
And you—O you, who the wildest yearns.
For the old-time step and the glad return;
Think of him faring on, as dear,
In the love of there as the love of here.
Think of him as the same—I say.
He is not dead—he is just away.
—James W. Riley.

—Advertisement.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Freeman is asked to publish the name of another Red Cross Christmas drive member, Thomas McDonnell, one of the Nitro Powder works employes.

The Queen Esther Circle of Trinity M. E. Church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Jennie Bruce, 137 Jansen avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Daughters of Jacob will hold a regular meeting on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The president and vice-president will serve ice cream and cake to all members present. A large attendance is desired.

Mrs. Thomas Hayes and Miss Catherine Millard will meet at Red Cross Headquarters Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the school girls of the city to make snipper pillows for the soldiers. All children are asked to bring scissors.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

The New York Times of today announces the sudden death of Albert Blauvelt at Nashville, but gives no further details. He had a number of friends in this city.

Ann Amelia, widow of James P. Rhinehart, died at her home in Pine Bush on Thursday, January 3, in the 90th year of her age. She is survived by one son, Archie W. Rhinehart, of New York. The funeral and interment was held Saturday.

Anna G. Wattson, widow of the late W. G. Wattson, died at Cornwall on Wednesday, aged 64 years. The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 14 West Fort Lee Road, Bogota, N. J., on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with interment in Kingston.

Helen R. Penny, wife of George E. Skelly of Bound Brook, N. J., died Thursday evening at ten o'clock at the German Hospital, New York city. She is survived by her husband, her father, James C. Penny; two sisters, Mrs. T. Nolan and Miss Sadie Penny, and one brother, William Penny, all of Weehawken Heights, N. J., and all formerly of this city. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mrs. Henrietta Ulrich Frazee, wife of Charles D. Frazee of Port Jervis, died at her home there Tuesday evening, January 8, after a short illness. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Nellie M., of Port Jervis, and Henrietta U., of Walden, two sons, Arthur F., of Hopewell Junction, and Edwin C., of Weehawken, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Jaeger and Mrs. Josephine Burton, both of Newark, and one brother, Henry Ulrich, of Kingston.

John H. Flannery, a former resident of this city, died suddenly at his home in South Brooklyn on Thursday. He was about 60 years of age. Mr. Flannery after leaving Kingston made his mark in the transportation world and had offices at No. 1 Broadway, New York city. He was a frequent visitor to this city and had a host of friends. Besides his wife he is survived by one son, John, and two daughters, Mary and Nettie. His wife is a sister of John J. Maher of this city.

Would Be a Boon.

Wife (reading).—"Isn't it funny, my dear! Here is an article which says they have found a new species of bird in Australia which has four legs. Now, whatever do you suppose they want four legs for?" Husband (yawning)—"They are probably politicians, my love, and by this beautiful dispensation of their Creator they are enabled to stand on both sides of the fence at the same time.

Very Likely.

Harold was instructed in the duties and spirit of a host by his mother before she gave the birthday party. One guest, a boy of eight, feeling too old for baby games, was frankly bored and refused to join in the play. Several times Harold, in obedience to warning glances, offered the boy his own place, only to meet as many refusals. Finally he inquired in tones of sincere interest, "What did you come for—to eat?"

How War of 1812 Was Declared.

An act declaring war between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the dependencies thereof and the United States of America was approved by the president at 3 p. m. June 18, 1812. The act was drawn up by William Pinkney, then attorney general of the United States. It passed the house June 4, 1812, 79 in favor, 49 against, and passed the senate June 17, 1812, yeas, 19; noes, 13.

Greek Athletic Judges.

St. Paul mentions in II Timothy, 4:8, that the judge in the Greek athletic contests was selected for his spotless integrity; his office was to decide any disputes. Col. 3:15; and to award the prize. I Cor. 9:24; consisting of a crown, II Timothy, 2:5, and 4:2, of leaves of wild olive at the Olympic games and of pine, or at one period, ivy, at Isthmian games.

The New-Fangled Way.

"What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to whistle and wait for his sweetheart?" asks an exchange. Probably sitting in the front room listening to his son honk the tin lizzie while waiting for Mayme to don her motor garb.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Almost the Same.

Robert was forced to visit the dentist. The dentist remarked that there was inflammation in the tooth, and after relieving the pain Robert was sent home. "What did the dentist say?" his mother asked. "He said I had an information tooth," was the reply.

ROAD BUILDING

TIME FOR DRAGGING ROADS

Much Depends on Character of Road Material—No Exact Rule Will Fit All Cases.

If clay is mixed with water and "puddled" and then allowed to dry a hard, almost waterproof, and nearly dustless material is formed. If a smooth, well shaped road could be constructed of this material it would never become very muddy or very dusty, and would be an ideal earth road. Under ordinary conditions this ideal is not realized, because, after being puddled the earth dries in ruts and holes which are rough while dry and which hold water like dishes when it rains. If the muddy road, after

Dragging Road in Fall.

being puddled by the horses' hoofs and wagon wheels, can be smoothed out and properly shaped before drying then the ideal is attained, and this smoothing and shaping is the work accomplished by the road drag. The water standing in pools and puddles is spread out over a larger surface, so that it dries quickly, the minute holes or pores in the clay are smeared over and closed, making the surface more nearly waterproof; the ruts and holes are gradually filled up and made smooth, and just enough earth is moved toward the middle to give the proper crown. The result is a smooth, hard, well-shaped road which will shed water and never becomes very muddy in wet weather or very dusty in dry weather.

From the above discussion it can readily be seen that dragging should be done when the road is wet, or at least when it is moist. The exact time to drag any given road will depend upon the character of the road material, and no exact rule can be given which will fit all cases. If traffic can be kept off from the dragged portion for awhile then the road may be dragged when it is very wet and sloppy, but if wagons are going to follow right behind the drag, making deep ruts as soon as the old ones are filled up, the dragging must be deferred until the road has partly dried out. Good judgment and experience on the part of the operator will soon tell him what is the best time to drag any given road. Roads which dry out quickly must be dragged immediately after a rain, while others may be allowed to dry for several days before being dragged. Dragging a dry road simply makes it dusty. Dragging should be done, if possible, after every rain, and as soon thereafter as conditions are right.

SURFACING THE FARM ROADS

Materials Ordinarily Used in Building Roads Are Too Expensive—Few Good Suggestions.

Many of the materials ordinarily employed in road construction will be found too expensive for use in improving the farm roads. One or more of the following will, however, usually be found available and within the means of the farmer for surfacing his roads and paths: gravel, mixtures of sand and clay, cinders, brickbats from old buildings, brickyard waste and quarry waste. The material selected should, however, be hard enough to withstand crushing under heavy loads and possess sufficient binding power to compact well and maintain a firm, hard surface under all ordinary weather conditions.

IMPROVE ROADS AND DRIVES

Where Any Considerable Amount of Hauling Is Necessary Surface Improvement Is Needed.

Roads and drives immediately around the farmyard and barns which are used very frequently are usually of sufficient importance to warrant some surface improvement. Very light or extremely sandy soils cut up badly in dry weather, while certain heavy and absorbent soils become very sticky and soft during the rainy season. Where any considerable amount of hauling is necessary, roads over soils of this character may require to be surfaced.

$300,000,000 Lost Yearly.

The farmers of the United States have been allowing $300,000,000 in real money to escape from their pockets each year because of poor roads, according to the testimony of experts who made a survey of the effect of bad roads upon markets for the department of agriculture.

Building Plank Road.

For the sake of economy and convenience, a plank road constructed in portable parts is being laid across the California desert.

A Pleasant Course.

Somebody says that the course in automobiling which a Western college has inaugurated should be a pleasant course in fair weather. Yes, if it's coeducational.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

40c value Oranges 31c doz.

Rutabaga Turnips 6 lbs. 15c

GOVERNMENT ADVICE
Is not to the effect that cheap goods are economical. Look for quality and economy both. You get them here.

Stew Beef lb. 20c, 24c

Pot Roast, lb. 22c, 25c

Large Grapefruit, 3 for 25c

GOLD MINE FLOUR $1.55 GOLD MINE FLOUR

Rib Roast 26c

CRACKERS, Box 5c Box

10c 20c 30c Pure Strained Honey 10c 20c 30c

2 Cans 25c SUGAR CORN Fancy Pack 2 Cans 25c

BREAKFAST COFFEE 19c lb.

6c Armour's Evap. MILK 6c

28c Porterhouse Sirloin, Round STEAK LB. 28c LB.

25c Delmonico lb. Steaks, fine, tender 25c lb.

26c LB. Whole Legs of PORK 26c LB.

PORK 28c Chops PORK 28c

2 cans 25c Karo 5 lb pail 40c

2 Boxes 25c All Kinds PREPARED BUCKWHEAT

Magnolia, Star, Clover Milk 17c

26c Roast of 26c
28c Home Pork 28c

Stew 20c LAMB 20c

Evap. Skim Milk and Vegetable Fat HEBE 2—one pound tins 25c Used instead of Sweet Milk

10c lb—Whitefish—10c lb
Many people are using them instead of mackerel

Sunkist Lemons doz. 29c

2lb. If you like good 2lb. 15c Sauerkraut 15c
We have the home made article.

Leg Lamb Whole 30c

Pure Peanut Butter 25c lb

49c lb ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER 49c lb Whatever you pay cannot get any better

Hamburgh The Best 25c

Pure Horse Radish Bot. 15c

Bottle 8 oz. Tomato Bottle 12½c Catsup 12½c

Loin Lamb Chops 35c

Cranberries 2 qts. 25c

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QUALITY WITH ECONOMY

AS THEY SHOP IN GUATEMALA

Visiting Is Principal Feature of Buying Expeditions, Business a Later Consideration.

"Our own way is always the best way," said a philosopher who understood human nature, and why everybody else does not go our way is a cause of constant surprise. For instance, in shopping.

How would you like to shop in Guatemala? They are a very polite people, and on coming into the store will pass some remark about the weather, and ask how business is. Then comes a string of questions about the health of the proprietor and all his relations and friends; and when all the questions are asked, the proprietor turns around and asks the same questions of you. Then the proprietor gets down to business, and takes down all his stock, which is all examined and priced, and then you say you will go home and think about it.

The next day, you return with the whole family—men, women, children and visitors—all the salutations are repeated, and all the stock displayed again. After two or three hours of this sort of thing, you buy perhaps a yard of muslin, and have it charged on 30 or 60 days' time. This so delights the proprietor, that he follows you to the door, and asks all the questions of your health all over again. It is needless to say that Guatemalan merchants were never known to get rich.

WHAT THUMBS ARE WORTH

Digit Is Estimated to Represent Fully One-Third of the Total Value of the Hand.

One has only to grasp a pen or a tool of some sort to realize that the different fingers are far from having the same value in regard to their usefulness in performing work. The most important, states a writer, is the thumb, for without it seizing or holding would be very imperfect. The hand is no longer pincers, but merely a claw, when deprived of the thumb. It may be estimated that the thumb represents fully a third of the total value of the hand. The total loss of the thumb is estimated by competent authorities as 15 to 35 per cent for the right and 10 to 15 per cent for the left hand, except for workers in art, when 40 to 50 for the right and 25 to 40 per cent for the left hand comes nearer the value.

The total loss of the index finger causes an incapacity estimated at from 10 to 25 per cent for the right hand and 10 to 15 per cent for the left. The middle finger is less important than the index. The ring finger is least important, and the little finger may be compared to its neighbor, except in the professions in which it serves as a point of support for the hand.

Kiss Under the Mistletoe.

The mistletoe was held in great reverence by the Druids. It was believed to be particularly and divinely healing; in fact, it was given this attribute for centuries. It had special significance as the cause of the death of Balder, the Norse Apollo, who was killed by an arrow made from its branches.

Subsequently Balder was restored to life, the mistletoe tree was placed under the care of Frigga, and from that time until it touched the earth was never again to be an instrument of evil.

The present custom of kissing under the mistletoe is the outcome of an old practice of the Druids. Persons of opposite sexes passed under the suspended vine and gave each other the kiss of love and peace, in full assurance that, though it had caused Balder's death, it had lost all its power of doing harm since his restoration.

Churches in Queer Places.

People at Tunbridge Wells England rarely say that it is impossible to be in two places at one time, because if they enter the beautiful old chapel of ease in their town they can stand in two counties and three parishes. This chapel stands partly in Kent and partly in Sussex. This is how the problem is worked out. When the clergyman leaves the vestry he comes out of the parish of Frant, in Sussex. If he is going to officiate at the altar he walks into the parish of Tunbridge, in Kent. If, on the other hand, he is going to preach the sermon, he walks from the parish of Frant to the parish of Speldhurst on the way to the pulpit. In half a minute he can enter the two counties and the three parishes named. The members of the congregation, however, have to content themselves by sitting in one county and one parish like ordinary folk.

Quick to Catch On.

Edward had an uncle who owned a grocery and market. On Saturdays it was Edward's delight to go there to help. On this particular day a neighbor chanced in. Finding Edward there, she thought she would find out how much the little fellow knew about business. Seriously she said, "Ed, have you chickens today?" The youngster's reply was: "Yep, we have all kinds, alive, dead, dressed and undressed."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 1918.

Sun rises, 7:29; sets, 4:47.
Weather, cold

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 17 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 33 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Snow tonight and Saturday, probably becoming heavy over south portion by Saturday; colder Saturday in west portion.

SATURDAY'S RACES ON RONDOUT CREEK

Many Fast Horses Have Been Entered—Races Start Promptly at 2 O'clock—Course From South Rondout to Island Dock.

Many fast horses have been entered for the ice racing on the Rondout Creek Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Kingston Horse Owners' Association, and splendid sport is assured those who witness the races. The course has been staked out from the South Rondout ferry to the Island Dock, a distance of about half a mile.

Among the horses that have been entered are Alderman Fred Roosa's Mecca, Dr. B. H Maben's Demarest; Fred Brink of Stone Ridge will enter Winsome Worthy; DeWitt Beach of High Falls will start Dr. Chase; and Luther Keator of Binnewater will start A. S. A., formerly owned by Corporation Counsel Brinnier.

Crip Ackerman will bring Sweet Spirit from the Winston farm at Saugerties, and William Becker, also of Saugerties, will start two horses he recently purchased at the Madison Square Garden sale. Elmer Palen of this city will also enter a horse he purchased at the Garden as well as Luther Deyo of Rosendale, who has a horse he purchased at the sale.

A. H. Gildersleeve is expected to start Lady Flower and Edward Schirick will enter Exlax.

Others who are expected to enter horses are Fraleigh Brothers of Rhinebeck and Rufus Schoonmaker.

There may be other horses entered also.

Foreclosure For Ice Company.

Supreme Court Justice Seeger of Newburgh has granted an order in the case of Edward H. Demarest as trustee for the bondholders of the Kingston Bay Ice Company against the Kingston Bay Ice Company, directing the sale of the defendant's property in the town of Esopus under a judgment of mortgage foreclosure, and has appointed A. S. Embler of Walden referee to sell. Anson J. Fowler of Newburgh is attorney for the plaintiff.

Water Board Met.

Only routine business was transacted at the regular monthly meeting of the water board held Thursday afternoon at the city hall. As told in The Freeman at the time water is now being secured from Cooper's Lake, and danger of a water famine has been averted.

No Cases in Court Today.

Today was another quiet day in police court and no arrests were made during the night.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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RED MEN CHIEFS ARE RAISED UP

Guernsey Burger, Newly Elected Sachem, Very Popular With Members of Tribe—Banquet and Social Time Thursday Evening.

Minnewaska Tribe, No 130, Improved Order of Red Men, met on Thursday evening in its rooms, in the Measter building, 635 Broadway. The

GUERNSEY BURGER.

newly elected chiefs were raised up for the ensuing year, some interesting addresses were made, a banquet was served, and a general social hour enjoyed.

The raising up ceremony was to have been in charge of District Deputy H. A. Williams of Esopus Tribe, No. 482, of Saugerties, but Mr. Williams was unable to be present.

Chief of Records Oliver Van Steenburgh read a communication from District Deputy Williams, expressing his regrets at his inability to come, and suggesting that the Sachem of Minnewaska Tribe deputize some past sachem of the tribe to raise up the chiefs.

The Sachem deputized Past Deputy Great Sachem Thomas H. Edmonston to have charge of the raising up ceremony, and this ceremony was put through in an efficient manner.

The latter part of the evening was devoted to speech making and a general social time. The newly elected Sachem, Guernsey Burger, made a very interesting address, taking up the various phases and principles of the order of the Red Men.

Informal remarks were made by several members of the lodge, and facts were brought out showing that the order is in a very prosperous condition, and growing right along.

A banquet was served and the diners did full justice to the tempting menu. After the inner man had been satisfied, "smokes" were lighted, and dominoes and cards were played.

The following chiefs were raised up: Sachem, Guernsey Burger; junior sagamore, Frank Jagger; senior sagamore, Merritt J. Haines; first sanap, Thomas H. Edmonston; prophet, Abram Rappleyea; finance committee, Thomas H. Edmonston, Everett Blanshan, Abram Short; trustee for 18 months, Daniel Herb.

Guernsey Burger, the newly elected Sachem, is a very popular member of the lodge, and his election has met with much favor with the members of the lodge.

Mr. Burger is not only well known fraternally, but he also has many friends outside of lodge circles. For the last five years or so he has been the shipping clerk at the Rose-Gorman-Rose store.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Jan. 11.—Hope Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will meet this evening in their Castle Hall at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers by District Deputy Rifenbary of Kingston, followed by refreshments and smoker. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Herman Elsworth of Broadway is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kay of Walden for a few days.

The last meeting of the week of prayer held in the Reformed Chapel will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. C. H. Polhemus will be in charge. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Eliza Elsworth, Mrs. Abner Clark and Miss Emma Cure of Broadway were in Kingston on business Thursday.

Mrs. J. Wesley Van Wagner, who has spent a few days at her home on Green street, has returned to Poughkeepsie.

Reserved seat tickets are selling rapidly for the play, "Won By Wireless," Monday evening, January 14. Fall in line and get yours or standing room only for you. The committee in charge has every reason to believe there will be a full house and why not, such a treat as this play will be, is a rarity in this village. Seeing is believing. General admission 25 cents; children 15 cents. Ice cream and cake on sale after the entertainment. Don't make any other engagement for Monday evening, remember, "Won By Wireless," Kingston talent.

There will be a meeting of the Ever Ready Club at the home of Mrs. A. H. Short tonight at 7:30. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

RUBY.

Ruby, Jan 10.—At the dance for the benefit of the German Lutheran Church at Heinz's Hall on Saturday night the sum of $40 was cleared.

Francis Young of Ruby has returned home, after spending two weeks with his aunt, Mrs. James McCue, of Bay Ridge.

Miss Lena Halbleib of Kingston spent the week end with her mother in this place.

Mrs. Lena Romulus and son, John, of Kingston, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Marks is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. George Burger, of Ruby Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Burhans of Glasco is spending some time with Mrs. Burhans's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaler.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cole and daughter, Mildred, of Bergenfield, N. J., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Cole's parents, Mrs. Margaret Young.

Mrs. Kate Staerker and daughter, Christina, of Kingston, spent the week end with Miss Rose Stice, of this place.

Elizabeth Schober and Luella Sutton, of Kingston, spent the week end at their homes in this place.

John Leedecke of the metropolis is spending some time with his parents here.

JUNKERS HASTEN GERMAN COLLAPSE

Disregard Suffering and Unrest in Their Headlong Rush for World Domination—Mutinous Troops Put Up a Fight.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Amsterdam, Jan. 11.—Although the German press is making a brave show of resistance against the peace terms announced by President Wilson and Premier Lloyd-George, the domestic situation has become so serious in both Germany and the Austrian Empire that Berlin and Vienna have opened negotiations looking to a pronouncement of modified terms, according to information received here today from an authoritative source.

Whether or not the negotiations amount to anything depends to a large extent upon the result of the Russo-German peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk.

The newspaper Tijd states that Germany was never so near utter collapse since the beginning of the war as a result of the hardships entailed by the war and the dissensions between the military heads and the moderates among the political parties.

Callously disregarding the sufferings arising from famine, the fuel shortage, the universal mourning for the dead and the unrest caused by the dislocation of industries the Junkers are still clamoring for annexations and indemnities with veiled threats of a "military uprising against the political government." But on the other hand the Socialists and Clericals are becoming bolder in their demands for a moderate peace that will satisfy not only the Entente governments but the masses of the belligerent nations.

Fresh details of the mutiny of 25,000 German troops on the eastern front were received here today. These men had revolted against the order to remove them to the western front and several battles have occurred between them and loyal forces that were sent to punish them. In one fight 250 of the loyal soldiers were killed while lesser numbers were killed in other skirmishes.

The success of the Russian revolution is having more and more influence daily upon the German people. An observer who has just reached Amsterdam, after spending several weeks in Germany, said today:

"The German people are sick of war. In Berlin the kaiser and von Hindenburg are loathed. It is a strange thing but the war is more popular in Bavaria than Prussia although Prussia has always been regarded as the cradle of the war spirit in Germany. The women are suffering terrible hardships and I will be surprised if they don't launch a revolution unless the war comes to an end within the next six or eight months."

The semi-official Cologne Gazette, in an evident attempt to bolster up the courage of the people, announces that "Russia is on the point of not only making a separate peace but of becoming an ally of Germany as well."

This paper labels its comment upon President Wilson's war aims speech "Wilson's clumsy trap." It argues along the militarists line that "Peace cannot come by intrigue and by creating confusion with rhetoric but by decisive battles on the field."

The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger also attacks Mr Wilson's speech with great bitterness.

The most of the German papers in their comment upon the Wilson declaration dwell upon the American executive's references to Russia.

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FLATBUSH.

Flatbush, Jan. 11.—Miss Mabel Cassel, who has been visiting in Kingston, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Babcock of Kingston spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramer.

Mrs. Harry Myers recently visited her brother at Weehawken

Mr. and Mrs. John Halwick are receiving congratulations over a baby boy, born last Friday.

Miss Annabel Pearson of Woodstock spent her holiday vacation here with her parents and caring for the sick.

Mr. Pearson and family are going through a siege of measles. Ten of them have it at one time. Mrs. Pearson, who has been very ill with them, is improving. Their son, Sidney, who visited them on Thanksgiving Day, is still in the hospital with them at Camp Mills.

This community was shocked to hear of the death of Herbert Swart at his home here on Sunday evening, the first of December. He enlisted in the U. S. navy and was stationed at Newport. Later he was transferred to Brooklyn Navy Yard, where he was doing guard duty on the receiving ship Morse. While there he took a heavy cold and came home the day after Christmas for a two days' furlough. Upon his arrival here pneumonia developed and while he was very ill was not considered dangerously so. His death came very unexpected and suddenly to all. He was twenty-two years old. A young man of good habits and character, of a bright, sunny disposition, ready to do a favor for young or old. The funeral was held at the Flatbush Reformed Church, of which he was a member, the Rev. Mr. Wemple of Saugerties officiating. Interment in the Flatbush cemetery. He leaves a father, mother, two brothers and one sister, all of this place, who have the sympathy of their many friends.

Miss Josephine Burhans, who has been spending some time in Kingston, has returned home.

Miss Hester Robbins of Highland has been staying a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Swart, having been called here by the death of her nephew, Herbert Swart.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Osterhoudt, Alvin and Claude Kiefler are staying at Mr. Hornbeck's and working on the ice at Turkey Point.

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Pink Salmon ..... 18c can	Tomatoes, ... 13c can
Small Can Potted Meat, 6 for .. 25c	Handy Box Matches, box 5c
Ammonia, bottle, small, 5c, large, 3 for 25c	Gold Medal Buckwheat Flour, pkg, 12c; large pkg 15c
Kippered Herring, can 15c	Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, pkg, 12c
Dutch Cleanser, can 8c	Sure Rising Buckwheat ..... 12c lb
Babbitt's Lye, can 8c	Sanitary Toilet Paper, 6 rolls for 25c
Red Seal Lye, can 8c	No. 7 Brooms 60c
Karo Syrup, can 13c	Large Dill Pickles ..... 15c doz
Dunham's Shredded Cocoanut, ½ lb pkg 18c	Oleomargarine, Royal Brand 26c
¼ lb pkg 9c	Downey Delight Brand, lb 33c
Petti John ..... 13c pkg	Gold Coin Oleo ..... 33c lb
Star, Magnolia and Clover Milk, can, 18c	Table Salt, bag 5c
Libby's Brand Evaporated Milk, can, 13c; small can 7c	Star Soap, Babbitt Soap, Fels Naphtha Soap, 5 cakes 25c
Postum Cereal, 1 lb pkg 23c	Kirkman's Borax Soap, 4 cakes, 25c
Quaker, Mother's, O. G., Shredded Wheat, Krumbles, Kellogg's Post Toasties, pkg 10c	Red Beans, ... 15c can
Fould's Spaghetti and Egg Noodles and Macaroni, 9c pkg; 3 for .. 25c	Can Corn ..... 13c can
Davis Baking Powder: ¼ lb can, 5c; 6 for 25c	Can Pork and Beans ..... 15c can
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